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"Happy he who with bright regard looks back upon
his father's fathers, who with joy recounts their
deeds of grace, and in himself values the latest link
in the fair chain of noble sequences." — GOETHE.

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OF A NOBLE AND GENEROUS FATHER AND A GENTLE
AND DEVOTED MOTHER,
WHOSE INTEREST IN THE LINEAGE OF HERSELF AND HER HUSBAND
WAS EVER DEAR TO HER,
AN INTEREST WHICH INSPIRED HER ONLY DAUGHTER
TO THE COMPILING OF THIS WORK,
THIS VOLUME IS MOST AFFECTIONATELY
DEDICATED

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PREFACE.

The Brainerd Genealogy was commenced with the intention of preparing the records in the line of the oldest son of the emigrant ancestor, Daniel Brainerd. Having been favored with records of other lines, the idea of compiling a genealogy of all the descendants was carried into effect. The early estimate for such a work was 6,000 names, which number increased to upwards of 13,000, requiring much time, labor, and expense.

Many of the early correspondents gave such information as they could, while others consigned the circulars or letters to the wastebasket or waited a more convenient opportunity, which rarely ever came to them. If their records are not to be found in the book, the delinquents must bear the blame. The younger members of the families in the fourth generation, a few of the third, began to scatter over the known portion of our country, going first to the northern part of Connecticut, to New Hampshire, to Vermont, to Maine, to Massachusetts, the northeastern part of New York, and a few over the border into Canada. "The forest primeval" and the more remote uncultivated lands induced many, after a few years sojourn in those places, to migrate to other unoccupied lands, thereby enduring great discomfort and continued hardships. With the scarcity of paper and the infrequent correspondence with the members of the parental homes (letters frequently being sent by friends, if sent by mail the postage was twenty-five cents on each letter) and the hardships inseparable from a frontier life, the children learned but little of their ancestors, and when older were more interested in their descendants than in their past history. Records, if kept, were often lost or by the burning of homes were destroyed by fire, thus rendering it difficult to get at all times complete records, and to connect such records with the ancestral line. Ruthless hands have been a great destroyer as well as fire.

It has been impossible to verify all records, though I have aimed to have them accurately transcribed. Records written at different times by the same individual and from members of the same family have been found to vary. Many records often appear to have been written from memory in both church and town as well as private records, which will account for some discrepancies that may occur. Sometimes only an imperfect or partial list of the names of the children of a family are found recorded in the town or church records.

Many marriages were entered in town records thus: James Jones m. Ellen ————. To find who Ellen was, land and probate records must be searched if, perchance, the parent owned real estate, and church records if they were church members, where the name may be found recorded thus: James Jones and wife. When

these sources failed, tradition may supply the missing name. Marriages were often by a justice of the peace and no record of them kept, either by church or town.

The following paragraphs will enable the reader to estimate somewhat the amount of work required, as well as time spent in investigations, for compiling this work.

I have examined the land and probate records of Hartford, which gave the first accurate information of Daniel Brainerd; then of Middletown, Haddam, East Haddam, Colchester, Hebron, Marlborough, Wethersfield, Glastonbury, East Hampton, Portland, Killingworth, New Haven, Lyme, Conn., and land records in East Hartford, Branford, Guilford, Clinton, Farmington, Conn., and wills and records in New London, Conn., and Albany, N. Y.

Church records have been consulted in the following places, viz.: In Middletown, Hartford, Haddam, East Haddam, Milington, Gilead, Colchester, Westchester, Marlborough, East Hampton, Haddam Neck, Middle Haddam, Killingworth, Higganum, Glastonbury, and Bristol, Conn.

Records have been taken from genealogies wherever the name of Brainerd has been found and entered in the Brainerd Genealogy without further proof of their correctness.

My thanks are due to the following individuals for favors kindly granted and for all courtesies rendered while engaged in making researches:

To Elihu Geer's Sons for the use of their large collection of directories from all over the United States, from which were copied post-office addresses of those bearing the name of Brainerd; to the gentlemen of *The Hartford Courant* office for permission to examine such of the files of *The Hartford Courant* as were in their possession from the first issue of the paper, Oct. 29, 1764, to the present time; to The Connecticut Historical Society for the privilege of continuing such examination of the remainder of the file of that paper, together with such portions of other files of ancient papers as were found there, viz.: *The New London Gazette*, *The Northern Watchman*, *The Middlesex Gazette*, *The Connecticut Mirror*, *The Hartford Times*, *The American Mercury*, and *The Sentinel and Witness*.

To all who have in any way contributed to the success of my self-imposed task I wish to express my thanks, for without their aid much less would have been successfully accomplished. Special mention should be made of a few who, in the early stages of my work, gave much and valuable assistance, viz.: The late D. W. Patterson of Newark Valley, N. Y.; the late Henry Martyn Selden of Haddam Neck, Conn., then of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Martin L. Roberts of New Haven, Conn.; Miss A. Maritta Usher of Waterville, N. Y.; the late James Martin Brainerd of Gainesville, Mich.; James Elisha Brainerd of the same place, who finished preparing his records; the late Enos Post Brainerd of Ravenna, Ohio; the late Henry Allen Brainerd of Attica, N. Y., then of San José, Cal.; Homer Worthington Brainard of Hartford, Conn., and Rollin U. Tyler of Haddam, Conn.

Many thanks are to be extended to the custodians of our public and private libraries, which contain a large collection of historical and genealogical books that have been consulted, for the courteous privileges accorded me in my investigations, viz.: The Congressional Library, Washington, D. C.; the Long Island Genealogical and Historical Society, Brooklyn, N. Y.; the State Library at the State House, Albany, N. Y.; the Joel Munsell's Sons private library, Albany, N. Y.; the Library of the American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Mass.; the Yale College Library, New Haven, Conn.; the State Library at the State House, Hartford, Conn.; the Connecticut Historical Society, Hartford, Conn.; the New England Genealogical and Historical Society, Boston, Mass.; the Theological Seminary, Hartford, Conn., and at Memorial Hall, Hartford, where many of the Congregational Church records are deposited; the library of the late D. W. Patterson, Newark Valley, N. Y., which afterward was purchased by the Connecticut Historical Society, Hartford, Conn.; the private library of the late Edmund Janes Cleveland of Hartford, Conn., the compiler of the *Cleveland Genealogy*; and the library of The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company, Hartford, Conn., and to the late Rev. Henry M. Field, editor of *The New York Evangelist*, for the privilege of looking over the letters and papers pertaining to the Brainerd family in his possession, left by his father, the late Rev. D. D. Field, D.D., before they were deposited in the Connecticut Historical Society of Hartford, Conn.

A GENEALOGIST'S REWARD.

The following paragraph was inserted in the circular printed February, 1904, of which 1,350 copies were mailed to descendants, viz.: "The compiling of this book (*Brainerd Genealogy*) and the arrangement of the material sent me has required many years of patient labor and research and has necessarily been somewhat expensive. Many members of the family would deem it a privilege to bear a portion of the expense in printing and binding so that the whole of my time for many years past will not have been given wholly without compensation. Those who can and will aid me in bearing the expense of putting the large work through the press, either by subscribing for a number of copies or by contributing to the fund for printing, are earnestly and cordially invited to do so."

Besides my brother's family I have had sixty-six subscriptions. Three gentlemen subscribed for two copies each, one gentleman subscribed for six copies; one lady sent me five dollars, another lady sent me the widow's mite, fourteen two-cent postage stamps, saying in her letter that she knew I "must have been at great expense in preparing the genealogy."

It is more than twenty years since I took hold of the work earnestly, and during that time I have received no pecuniary assistance. I call the working years fourteen (though three or four more could be added to that number of years) at five hundred dol-

lars per year (low wages for a genealogist) would be seven thousand dollars. I have spent in money about one thousand dollars. I call it five hundred dollars. The estimated cost for printing was thirty-five hundred dollars. At the lowest calculation the cost of the genealogy has been eleven thousand dollars. The genealogy was estimated to contain six hundred and fifty pages each volume, two volumes, with an index of nearly three hundred pages to be added (which was not included in the estimate of the size of the genealogy given in the circular), making a total of sixteen hundred and fifty pages, which was offered for twelve dollars. The copies subscribed for would net seven hundred and ninety-two dollars in return for an outlay of eleven thousand dollars in time and money. Hoping for a more favorable response, the genealogy has been divided into seven parts, each part containing the descendants of one of the seven sons of the emigrant ancestor, Daniel Brainerd.

Perhaps those who have not worked at preparing a genealogy infer that the facts marshal themselves in order ready for printing. Such is not the case. The whole genealogy has been twice written by hand, first, to arrange the records as sent; second, to copy and arrange them for reference, which copy by constant use became so worn that the third copying was necessary. The third copy was done on the typewriter by a stenographer hired for the purpose.

In obtaining records I have had often to write six letters to find out where I could obtain a certain record of a family, and then as many more to get the record well filled out. Four bureau drawers packed full of letters testify to the faithfulness with which I have worked. I have sat at my table weeks at a time from eight o'clock in the morning till six o'clock at night working constantly at the genealogy. If there are any doubting Thomases among those who read this statement, let them work for a year in collecting genealogical facts and they will be convinced of its truth and decide they had rather buy a genealogy than to prepare one.

THE INTRODUCTION.

THE ORIGIN OF THE NAME.

In the survey of Domesday, Braintree has two names, Raines and Branchetren, of which one is Saxon, the other British. The meaning is a town upon a hill or a town near a river, which last applies with some propriety to this place, for on the southern side of it is Podd's brook and on its northern, Blackwater. Braintree is probably derived from the two names.—Page 16, History of Essex Co., England.

The name of Brainwood is said to have been derived from Brentwood, a small town in Essex. Brentwood is a corruption of Burntwood, and was derived from the burning long ago of a circumjacent forest.

The late Dr. Bradley of New Haven sought the origin of names in the meaning of words. He was said to be versed in sixteen different languages and had traveled extensively in Europe and Asia, minister plenipotentiary to the court of Siam in Polk's administration, and for a while mandarin in China, when preparing to publish his book on Patrinomatology, searched in England for the origin of the name of Brainard. His search was not as definitely gratified as he wished, but he concluded from what he could ascertain that it was from a Celtic word noble-brained, but added that it should be spelled Brainard and not Brainerd, as the latter meant nothing at all. Therefore, as one branch spells it one way and one the other way, I think it a pity that both should not have the high privilege of being noble-brained men. His pamphlet was never completed, but was probably deposited in the Library of Yale College.

The above paragraph was sent me by a descendant in Joshua's line. She has since died.

The family is said to have come originally from the town of Braine in Flanders, or from the town of that name in France. (Braine, France, 10m. E. Soissons. There are in Flanders two towns called Braine, distinguished by the after name, viz.: Braine le Alen, 10 miles N. E.; Braine le Comte and Braine le Comte in Brainault, 15m. N.-N. E. Mons. 16 S. S. W. Brussels.)

The name Brainard is said to be common in France on the border of Germany, and that the two different ways of spelling the name Brainerd and Brainard are the French and German way.

One of the descendants thought the Brainerds might be of Spanish descent, as the Spanish made a settlement in the south of England in the early history of England.

From a letter received it is said that the first Brainerd in America was a boy who smuggled himself on board a vessel and came to this country about 1650 and was told by the captain of

the vessel if he would take the name of Brainard he would make him his heir, which he did. I have found nothing to sustain this statement.

It has also been said by one of the descendants that they originated in France.

Notwithstanding these various statements, I think the name is of English descent.

No extensive research has been made in England for the ancestry of Daniel Brainerd, whose birthplace, by tradition, was in Braintree, England, yet most interesting facts are not lacking, and these are here given in the hope that some future genealogist may be induced to make more extended investigation.

The name is found as early as the middle of the fourteenth century in the form of Brendewoode or Brendewode. The different forms are numerous, but the name may be easily traced from Brendewode through Brendewood, Brandwood, Brainwood, Braynwood to the modern form Brainard or Brainerd.

The following article, written for this work by a somewhat noted genealogist in England, treating of the evolution of the name, is here printed entire. It was mailed to me Sept. 2, 1891.

ON THE NAME BRAINARD.

The contribution which I willingly make to this important work has a precise and definite object in view, to wit, the illustration of the name Brainard. It is well that this be distinctly stated at the outset and, moreover, that with matters genealogical, I have no concern, so that readers may know both what to expect and what they must not look for in the remarks I have to offer. It is true that the evidence to be adduced will chiefly consist of parish registers and wills, but these records will be used solely for my immediate purpose and will not be applied in any way to matters of pedigree.

The family belief is, I understand, that the name which beyond the Atlantic assumed the form of Brainard was in England Brainwood or Branwood, and that the English home of the parents of the emigrant who was himself a mere lad was in Essex. To what extent, if at all, this be correct is the first point which presents itself for investigation, and upon the result which may be reached it will depend whether it be necessary to pursue the inquiry in other directions.

A person's name was that which was given in baptism, to which, in process of time, was added another, which therefore was appropriately styled the surname. The sources from which surnames were derived were various, chief among which were personal characteristics, as Long, Short, Brown, White; office, as Sumner, Reave, Constable, Parson; occupation, as Tailor, Goldsmith, Cooper, Baker; and place of abode, from which John living at Kelvedon was known as John de Kelvedon until de was dropped and Kelvedon

became the family name. It will be perceived at a glance that, as respects the name whose history we are investigating, the last of these four sources has the best — I might almost say the only — promise of success, and in point of locality we are directed first to the county of Essex.

There are in Essex two places which at once occur to those who are familiar with that part of England. Braintree suits well as to its earlier half, but its second is by no means adapted to what we require. In substance, tree and wood are indeed not distantly connected, but our concern lies less with substance than with form, and particularly with sound. With these few words we may then dismiss Braintree from consideration.

The other place is Brentwood, which in ancient time was written Brendewode. And here we have to show, if so it be fact, that there was in ancient times a family of de Brendewode or Brendewode, and then that the forms which have already been mentioned originated from it.

The first of these is easy and will not require many words, nor does the second present any feature of difficulty, though it must necessarily be treated of at greater length.

There is on record the Will of a John Brendewod, which is dated on Friday, the vigil of Saints Perpetua and Felicitas (7 March), A.D. 1348. The testator was a citizen of London, and he describes himself as a fripperer, that is to say, a dealer in second-hand clothes and furniture. His Will was proved and enrolled in the Court of Hastings of the City of London in March, 1348-49. A summary of it is given in the Appendix (A) as it stands in the Calendar of Wills of the Court of Hastings, printed by the Corporation of the City of London (Part I, p. 537). In the same highly important series another testator mentions a Stephen de Brendewode (Calendar, Part II, p. 100). This is William Castelyn, whose will, dated February 10, A.D. 1348, was not proved until 1366-67, and who calls himself a "pheliper," which was another word for fripperer. These are not put forward as the earliest instances of the name, nor for any other purpose than to prove that five hundred years ago and upwards Brendewode was a recognized surname.

The mutations and transformations, even, to which English names, both of persons and places, have been subject are legion in number, but in all the object was curtailment. However short a name might be, it was shortened whenever that was possible. Although a triangle might be small, our fathers saw no reason why they should travel round its sides when a walk along its base would bring them more speedily to the same destination. It will not be foreign to the purpose if I observe that, according to English custom, *e* was and is very frequently sounded as if it were *a*. For an instance much in point we need go no further than the town which gave its name to the capital of what is now the State of Connecticut when the early settlers, whilst evidently adopting the pronunciation, changed the spelling. Accuracy of orthography, as an abstract consideration; identity with what had been done before;

reproduction in writing of the local pronunciation — such were the conflicting claims which presented themselves to the mind of the parish priest in his capacity of custodian of the parochial register. It is probable that the first of these often weighed with men who were scholars, but when there was no standard how could one form be more accurate than any other? Nothing could be more arbitrary than the spelling of surnames, and when persons in a good position and of the best education which the age afforded spelt their names in different ways on the same document, who shall take upon himself to say that such a way was right and such a way was wrong?

In Essex the form most frequently met with is Branwood, and I will give some instances which were brought to light in the investigations I made whilst collecting materials for the present paper. Indeed it will be right to say here that the facts revealed rendered it unnecessary to seek evidence beyond the limits of that county.

In the parish of Little Baddow, near Chelmsford, is a mansion called Branwoods, a name derived, in all probability, from a former possessor. Among the Marriage Allegations in the Bishop of London's Registry, as printed by the Harleian Society, is one dated April 26, 1608, having reference to the marriage of John Branwood of Chelmsford with Ann Newman of Gingrave. In the earlier part of the same century administration to the effects of a Branwood of Fingringhoe was granted by the Consistory Court of the Bishop of London. In the Calendar of Wills proved about the same period in the Court of the Archdeacon of Essex occur the names William Branwood, 1632, and Richard Branwood, 1638. Of the latter, I took an abstract, which is printed below as Appendix (B), where it forms a pendant to the earlier Will, of which a summary is also given.

At Coggeshall the parish register contains entries which lend important aid in the elucidation of the matter, and for copies of them I have to thank an Essex antiquarian. In 1627 is the marriage of Thomas Branwood and Mary Northay, and it is followed in 1628, 1631, and 1634 by baptisms of children of Thomas Branwood and Mary his wife. In 1639, on the occasion of the baptism of a daughter, the same parents appear as Thomas Brayntwood and Mary his wife, thus clearly indicating what, in the opinion of the Vicar or his scribe, was the real origin and true orthography of the name he was called upon to write. In 1646 the form is Thomas and Mary Brainwood, still evidently the same individuals, and in 1653 is the marriage, as Mary Brainwood, of, we may safely assume, the person who in 1628 was baptized as Mary Branwood. The form Brainwood is analogous to what we find with respect to Brentford, a town in the adjoining county of Middlesex, the *t* having been almost always omitted and the name written Brainerd or Brayneford.

In 1652 Thomas Branwood, with many others, clothiers of Coggeshall, was a petitioner to a Cromwellite body styling itself the Council for Trade.

It is, however, to Writtle we turn for evidence which almost appears to exist for our special benefit and which is so conclusive

that it will carry conviction to the minds of all. The parish register, it should be stated, is not extant prior to 1634, but we soon come upon entries which are decisive in their character. We start in 1637 (August 15th) with the marriage of William Braynard and Susanna Graye. Next, in 1640 (April 14th), we have the baptism of Susanna, daughter of William and Susanna Branwood, in a significant entry to which I shall revert presently. Then, in 1645, is the baptism of Jane, the daughter, and in 1646, of Reginald, the son of William Brandewoode, and lastly, at the close of the century, in 1699, that of William (the son) of Reginald and Mary Branard.

The evolution of Branard from Branwood should, perhaps, be explained, and it will only require a word. The letter *w* when followed by a vowel was usually omitted in speaking and often in writing, whence Branwood became Branood, which is very easily corrupted into Branard. In the Calendars of Essex Wills the name Brathat is found, which is a similar instance, being a manifest corruption of Braithwaite. So general was the custom to which I am now adverting that if a name beginning, for instance, Woo be not found under the letter *W*, search should not fail to be made under *O*. Woburn, locally, is always called Ooburn; Wokingham, Okingham, and so forth. Odell, in Bedfordshire, has entirely superseded Woodhill as the name of the village to which belonged an early and honored settler in New England. Brewood in Staffordshire is locally called Brood, and such instances might be multiplied indefinitely.

By a curious coincidence, the day previous to my examination of the registers of Writtle, I was at the house of the incumbent of a parish in another county, who stated that he would shortly be called upon to baptize the child of one of his parishioners, an agricultural laborer, and was in doubt as to how he should spell the surname in the register. He found, he said, so many varieties of the name that he could not take upon himself to determine which was correct, and inquiry in the parish from which he supposed the family to spring had only added to their number. I ventured to suggest that search after an assumed "correct" orthography was somewhat wide of the mark; that the point was to identify the child as the son of certain parents, and that the course was to spell the family name as it appeared in the entry of the father's marriage. This view commended itself to the worthy rector, who expressed the intention of acting upon it.

Now, at Writtle, the writer of the entry of 1640 proceeded upon a plan just the reverse, and he did this not hastily, but advisedly, and upon second thoughts. He first wrote Braynard; he then drew the pen through all but "Bra," and for "ynard" substituted "nwood." A pertinent question is, Would he have done this if they had been two distinct names, and is not the fact of his having done it conclusive proof that they are identical? He could never have intended that the surname of the child should be different from his father's, but what he did mean and thought he had accomplished was to give proper spelling in place of the sound conveyed to the ear by the popular pronunciation.

From what has gone before it will be seen we have proof positive, repeated, contemporary, that Brainwood, Branwood, and the rest are but varieties of one and the same name derived from Brentwood. And what is always matter of satisfaction, the family belief is fully and abundantly confirmed by the strongest tests to which it has been subjected, the evidence derived from the district to which our attention was a priori directed is so complete and so cogent as to render needless any research in other localities. Although it has been said already, and in a last word may be repeated, that in the work respecting the name borne by the emigrant no attempt has been made to trace his family. The evidence points very clearly to the part of the kingdom in which any investigations having that end in view should be instituted.

APPENDIX (A).

John Brandewood, fripperer. To be buried in the church of S. Michael de Cornhull. To Alice his wife all his tenements in the parish of S. Christopher, London, charged with the maintenance of a chantry, for life. To the Prior and Convent of the House of Holy Trinity within Algate the reversion of a certain shop in return for their prayers. Another shop in the said parish of S. Christopher to be sold after the decease of his said wife, and forty shillings of the proceeds to be given to William, son of William Page, and the residue to be devoted to pious uses. Dated London, Friday the vigil of SS. Perpetua and Felicitas (7 March) A.D. 1348. Proved and enrolled in the Court of Hasting of the City of London Monday next before the Feast of the Annunciation of S. Mary the Virgin (25 March) A.D. 1348-9 — Roll 76 (136).

APPENDIX (B).

Richard Branwood of the parish of Rettendon in the County of Essex, husbandman, November 26, 1638.

Though sick of body, yet of sound and perfect memory. To be buried in the Christian burial of the churchyard of Rettendon. To my godechild Richard Spurgeon an ewe sheep and twenty shillings of money. To my servant fifteen shillings. To the widow Netherwood five shillings. To William Hodges ten shillings. All the rest of my ready money, chattels, goods, or household stuff whatsoever, I give and bequeath to my two sons Richard Branwood and John Branwood, my debts, legacies, funeral and Court charges being discharged, my will is that they shall be equally divided betwixt them both, not one to wrong the other. And I make them executors of this my will. And I request Mr. Richard Benton to be my overseer thereof, to see it performed, and if any difference be betwixt them that he will be a means with another honest neighbor to end the same. Richard Branwood, his mark and seal. Witness hereto, William Taylor and William Hodges, writer. Proved December 18, 1638, in the Court of the Archdeacon of Essex. (25 Whithead).

RICHARD BRANWOOD.

Administration of the goods of Richard Branwood, late of the parish of Fingringhoe, in the county of Essex, deceased, who died intestate, was granted by the Consistory Court of the Bishop of London, 14 December, 1621, to Elizabeth Branwood, widow, the relict of the deceased.

(Consistory Court of London — Vicar General's Book, 1616-23, fo. 238.)

The name now under consideration has been discovered in the parish records of London and of a good number of places on or near the great road leading from London through Essex to Ipswich and Suffolk. Doubtless further search would reveal the name in many other towns or villages. Ongar, Romford, Brentwood, Chelmsford, Colchester, and Braintree, the last named a great center of the cloth-weaving industry in the seventeenth century, have all been homes of persons bearing our family name. This region was the scene of Rev. Thomas Hooker's preaching, and a number of Hartford's first proprietors or settlers can be traced to the same locality. It is then no accident, but a very probable tradition which connects our Daniel Brainerd with this part of Essex. Indeed, we can show that there were Brainerds in Chelmsford and Great Baddow, places especially connected with Hooker; in Braintree, whence came John Talcott, and probably also Joseph Loomis and William Wadsworth; in Bocking, whence probably came William and Ozias Goodwin; in Colchester, whence possibly came Nathaniel Foote, and in Ongar, whence came Richard Lyman. These men followed Hooker to Connecticut, or in some instances preceded him. I give below a list of such wills and administrations as have been found bearing the name, with their dates and the places in the Court records where they may be found; then a list of parishes in which persons bearing our name have lived, with the dates from which parish registers are extant; and finally a transcription of such parish records as have been printed. In the latter case it is not asserted that any of the persons were of near kindred to our New England emigrant, though doubtless if we could but know there may be distant kinship. Perhaps success will reward some future searcher in what seems to be a promising field.

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From Greensted Parish Register:

Jeffrey Branwood married Grace Gooding, Oct. 3, 1631.

From the Parish Register of Chipping Ongar, Co. Essex, England:

Abigail Braynwood, daughter of James Braynwood of Chipping Ongar, was baptized Aug. 3, 1645.

James Braynard was buried June 30, 1679, according to the late act of Parliament for burying in woolen, as appeared by affidavit. received June 24th.

James, son of James Brainwood, baptized July 17, 1616.

James Brainwood and Alice Fensam were married May 10, 1613.

Anne Brainwood married James Bettis Jan. 24, 1724.

Anne Brainwood was buried Nov. 18, 1722.

Elizabeth Brainwood married Thomas Sawkin Oct. 1, 1599.

Elizabeth Brainwood, ye wife of Jeffrey Brainwood, laborer, was buried Aug. 24, 1629.

Elizabeth Brainwood was buried Nov. 20, 1729.

Joane, daughter of Thomas Brainwoode, was baptized Sept. 19, 1562.

Grace, daughter of Thomas Brainwoode, was baptized Sept. 18, 1564.

Thomas Brainwood was buried Jan. 30, 1612.

Old Mother Brainwood (probably wife of Thomas) was buried Nov. 27, 1614.

Mary, daughter of James Brainwood, ——— May 13, 1615.

Jone Brainwood was buried Sept. 24, 1562.

Jane Brainwood, baptized February 12, 1572.

Elizabeth Branwood, the daughter of Jeane and Elizabeth, baptized July 19, 1654.

John, son of James Branwood and Ann, his wife, was baptized Oct. 4, 1681.

Mary, ye daughter of James Brandwood, was baptized Dec. 31, 1683.

Lidia, daughter of Ann and Jeames Branwood, was baptized January 6, 1685-86.

Katerine, daughter of James Brandwoods and of Anne, his wife, was baptized October 5, 1690.

Katherine, daughter of James and Elizabeth Branwood, was baptized December 5, 1664.

Charles Blomer, barber surgeon, and Anne Big, daughter-in-law unto Jeffray Brainwood, of our parish, was maryed at Cheping Ongar, January 19, 1622.

Joan Branwood was buried February 13, 1572.

Mary, daughter of James and Elizabeth Branwood, was buried November 14, 1660.

Katherine, daughter of James and Elizabeth Branwood, was buried November 2, 1668.

Elizabeth, wife of James Branwood, was buried January 10, 1668-69.

Lidia, daughter of Ann and Jeame Branwood, was buried August 27, 1686.

A male child of Jeames Branwood's was buried May 22, 1687.

Anne Brainwood was buried November 18, 1722.

James Brainwood was buried March 15, 1723. Godfrey Jones, Rector.

Elizabeth Brainwood was buried November 20, 1729.

* It is said they have been found.

Parish Register of High Ongar, Co. Essex:

Thomas Braynwood, son of Thomas, baptized July 14, 1594.
 Thomas Braynard, son of Thomas, baptized December 21, 1596.
 Thomas Branwood, son of William, baptized June 2, 1616.
 Thomas Braynard, son of Thomas, buried September 8, 1596.

From Christ's Church, Newgate Street, London; Burials and Christenings:

Edward Braynard was buried July 15, 1583.

Register of St. Dionis, Back Church, London:

Anne Branwoode, daughter of William Branwoode, was baptized Dec. 1, 1560.

Anne Branwoode, daughter of William Branwoode, was baptized January 16, 1564-65.

Anne Branwoode, daughter of William, was buried February 22, 1563-64.

Katheryn Branwoode, wife of William Branwoode, was buried October 13, 1563.

John Habor, St. Buttolph's, w/out Algate, and Margaret Braynwoode of this parish, were married November 14, 1568.

Margery Branwoode, daughter of William, was baptized December 27, 1562.

Margery Branwoode, daughter of William, was buried September 16, 1563.

Nycholas Branwoode, prentice with his brother William, was buried October 6, 1563.

William Braynwoode and Margaret Pottet, both of this parish, were married April 29, 1564.

William Branwoode, housholder, was buried June 22, 1566.

Marriage licenses issued by Bishop of London, 1520-1610, Harl. Soc., 1887, p. 304:

April 26, 1608. John Branwood, of Chelmsford, Co. Essex, yeoman, and Ann Newman of Gingrave, sd. Co., spinster, dau. of Francis Newman, late of the same, yeoman, dec'd. at St. Mary, Mounthaw, London.

October 16, 1638. John Branwood, of the parish of Rompford in Essex, carpenter and bachelor, aged about twenty-seven years, intendeth to marry Alice Johnson, maiden, of the parish of St. Martins-in-the-Fields; Co. of Middlesex, aged about twenty-seven years. Licence to be married in St. Pauls, Covent Garden.

Registry of Marriage Licenses for Hampshire, issued by the Bishop of Winchester:

James Brainwood of Newport, Isle of Wight, gardener, and Elizabeth Preston, of the S. sp., at Gatcombe, Carisbrook, or St. Nicholas, Jan. 28, 1702-3.

The name of Brainwood does not occur in the "Herald's Visitations of London, 1633-35," or in the "Visitations of Essex, 1552, 1558, 1612, 1634," nor in the Westminster Abbey registers. A careful examination of the Harleian Society's publications discloses very few of this name and these few have been given above.

Thomas Brainwood, whose relict was Margaret and brother was William Brainwood, died in Bocking, 1576-80; owing to loss of the registers no further facts can be found.

From St. Michael's Parish, in Braintree, Eng.:

Sarah Brannard or Brainard, dau. of James, died June 2, 1662. Mr. Kentworthy, vicar of the church.

From Essex Court Directory of 1890:

Charles Brainwood, 8 Lynn Terrace, Ramsey Road, Forest Gate, E.
Olive Branwood, London, Eng., 1878.

From the Register of St. Mary's Church, Bocking, Essex Co., England:

- Jane Braynrod, baptised May 11, 1564.
 Johanes Braynwood, filius Robti. baptised, Januarie 19, 1566/7.
 Thomas Braynewoode, filius Roberti, baptised September 4, 1569.
 Maria Brainwood, filia Thomae, baptised Augustus 15, 1585.
 Guilielmus Braywood, filius Abraha baptised, October 1, 1587.
 Richardus Brainwood, filius Ricci, baptised, October 10, 1596.
 Elizabetha Braynewoode, filia Rechardi Braynwood, baptised, August 21, 1603.
 Jacobus Braywod, filius Rechardi Braywod, baptised December 16, 1604.
 Margareta Brainwood uxor Guili. sepulta est September 14, 1575.
 Jeremias Braynewood filius Guili. sepultus Augustus 8, 1578.
 Ida Braynewood, uxor Thomae sepulta September 16, 1586.
 Guilielmus Braynewood filius Abraha sepultus 27 Januarius 1587/8.
 Thomas Brainwood sepultus September 21, 1593.
 Joana Breynwood uxor Thomae sepulta 27 Junius 1595.
 Thomas Braynewood filius Richardi Braynwood sepultus 22 December 1600.
 Francisca Braynwood uxor Richardi Braynewood sepulta November 6, 1600.
 Eduardus Braynwood filius Rechardi Braynwood sepultus January 3, 1605.
 Thomas Braynwood sepultus January 4, 1606/7.
 Richardus Braynwood filius Nicholaij Braynwood sepultus 26 August 1610.
 Richardus Braynwood sepultus June 27, 1612.
 Margareta Braynwood vidua sepulta 28 October 1623.
 Johnes Baldwin et Joan Brainwood nupti 15 Junius 1598.
 Richardus Braynwood et Jone Paul nupti 5 February 1600/01.
 Johnes Phillips viduus & Jona Braynwood vidua nupti 19 January 1625.

From Water's Genealogical Gleanings in England:

Oct. 16, 1638. John Brainwood of Rumford, Essex, carpenter, bachelor, aged 21, and Alice Johnson, maiden, aged 21, of St. Martin's in the Fields, at St. Paul's Covent Garden.

THE ORTHOGRAPHY OF THE NAME.

In the early days of my work some few expressions of loyalty to the supposed early style of spelling the name were aroused. In not more than two instances have I found the name written Brainwood in the early records, which, by a quick pronunciation, seems to have been merged into Brainerd, and was so spelled by the early descendants in Haddam. Some who crossed the river to the east side changed the spelling from "erd" to "ard," which change has been accepted by many scattered throughout the United States, some even averring that "ard" was the correct orthography of the name. As early as 1704 the name has been found spelled "ard." The Vermont branch have spelled the name in the old English style by substituting *y* for *i*, as Braynard. As they were not anxious to have the *y* retained, I have adopted the uniform style of "erd" and "ard." Should some find an *a* where the spelling should have

been *e*, or an *e* where it should have been *a*, I hope it will be overlooked, as it was not intentional.

The name has been found spelled in the following different ways in the Colonial records and in the newspapers. The following list of names shows when each change was made in list of representatives, viz.:

In 1669, Braynard.	In 1710, Brainerd.
" 1693, Braynerd.	" 1711, Braynard.
" 1695, Braynard.	" 1711, Braynerd.
" 1696, Brainard.	" 1711, Brainerd.
" 1697, Brayner.	" 1713, Braynerd.
" 1698, Braynard.	" 1715, Brainerd.
" 1704, Brainer.	" 1715, Braynerd.
" 1705, Brainard.	" 1716, Brainerd.
" 1706, Braynard.	" 1717, Brainerd.

One of the descendants said, in writing of the spelling of the name, that his father had traveled much in foreign lands and was very learned in Philology and insisted the name should be spelled Brainard, and Brainerd it had been spelled in his line since that time. He has, however, at a later date written that the name should be spelled Brainerd, and gives the tradition in his family for adopting "erd" and the spelling, which is as follows: According to our family tradition, the founder of the family was the great Saxon Chief Bran, the Hurd, who conquered the Scottish Border Counties and took and Married by force and Arms the daughter of the chief of the Clan of Gordon, and lived and controlled the four border counties on the Saxon, English, or Celtic side thereof, and was known as Bran the Hurd, because of the great number of Cattle, Horses, Sheep, Goats, etc., which this great Chief owned and controlled. Bran lived in the time of James the Second, and took part in the Saxon conquests of the previously owned English Isles by Rome. These islands were afterwards conquered by the Chevalric Normans and then in turn ruled by six French Kings following the battle of Hastings which placed the Norman Duke of Normandy on the Throne to be afterward overthrown by the House of Plantagenet.

Anyone who is interested in the above will find a clear history of those trying times if he will turn to the first twenty-two pages of the First Volume of the History of England by Macaulay.

COAT OF ARMS.

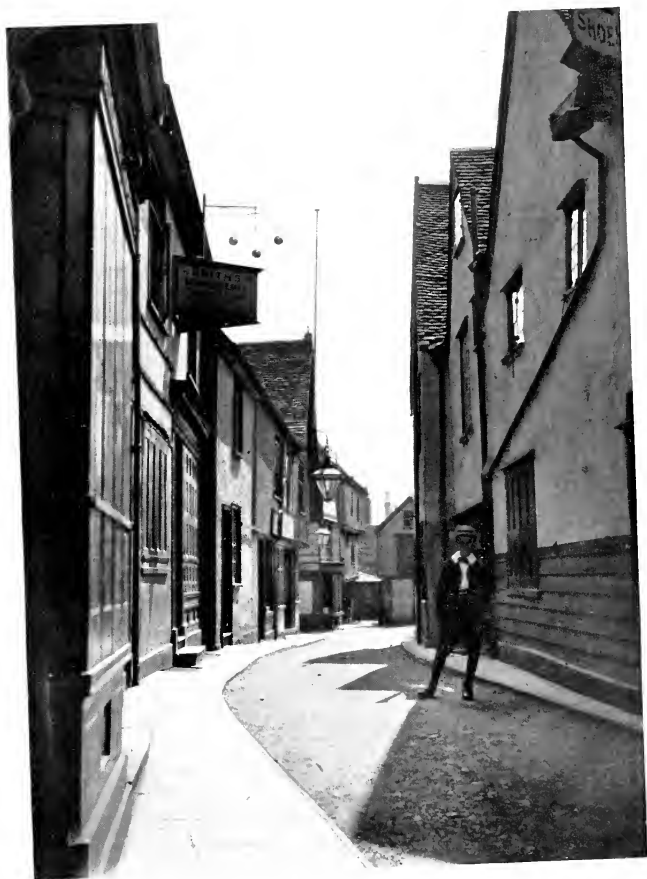
Hinman said Brainwood had one coat of arms, which was probably copied by Rev. D. D. Field in his Brainard Genealogy published in 1857, but I have found nothing to corroborate that fact or to justify anyone in laying claim to such a distinction as belonging to the family name.

DEA. ELIJAH BRAINERD'S STATEMENT.

An old manuscript was deposited in the American Antiquarian Society in Worcester, Mass., June 18, 1862, by J. W. Thornton,



Courtesy of Burdett Loomis, Hartford, Conn.
ANCIENT HOUSES AT BRAINTREE, ENGLAND.



Courtesy of Burdett Loomis, Hartford, Conn.
UPPER CORNER BY THE MARKET SQUARE (WEST SIDE), AT BRAINTREE, ENGLAND.

Esq. The society very kindly gave me the privilege of copying it, for which privilege and courtesy I here acknowledge my sincere thanks. The manuscript is as follows:

20 Jan. 1786.

A genealogical synopsis of the name Brainerd, beginning at the root, Mr. Daniel Brainerd, who by the best account was stolen from his native town, Brantrie, in the county of Essex on the Island of Great Britain about eight years of age. — Being brought to America, landed up Connecticut at Hartford, was sold for his passage to Mr. Wadsworth, farmer, in said town.

His conditions were —

To be learned to read and write and at the time of his freedom, twenty one years old, two suits of clothes.

At the age of 21 years he labored for him, one, perhaps two years, in Hartford at farming. And in the year 1661 or thereabouts came and purchased a right of land near the Center west in Haddam, 25 miles below Hartford, upon the same river on the west side. Lived first in a cave covered like a small hut or cottage. We presume that he came over in the year 1649. It is said that his name was Brainwood, and that the family owned and employed two spring looms, likewise that his mother at his emigration, was a widow, and by a certain letter sent him by her she married Mr. Grey.

In Haddam he was the first justice of the peace and commanded great respect, a judicious, sagacious and penetrating man, of superior sense but no learning.

Beginning his settlement near the center of the town and near the River he married Hannah Spencer. Then married Dea. Arnold's mother. Then Hannah Saxton formerly Hannah Spencer. (No children by two last marriages.)

Pehham (Pelham.) 22 March 1815.

I Elijah Brainerd make the following remarks relative to Dea Daniel Brainerd Esq. of Haddam in Connecticut my ancestor in N. E.

By the best information he came over from Braintree in Essex County England A D 1649, being then eight years old, to Hartford, where by his gravestone it appears he died A D 1715 at 74 yrs. Born 1641, settled in Haddam, A D. 1665.

Haddam 10 April 1786

This may certify that Elijah Brainerd A B is a legal freeman in the town of Haddam State of Connecticut

NEMH BRAINERD	} Select
EDMUND PORTER	
DAVID BRAINERD	

From Elijah Brainard b. 1677 — sprung as computed in 1786, 275 souls. By making the first seven sons and one daughter a common ratio thus 275 by 8 makes 2200 by this moderate calculation have at this day 6 Apr. 1786 sprang from the first man Daniel Brainerd who first settled and married in Haddam in the year or nearly 1662.

The remainder of the manuscript was devoted to genealogical records which have been placed in the family records to which they belonged.

ENGLISH INVESTIGATION.

MONTREAL, May 24, 1904.

The most complete summary of the legends concerning the origin of Daniel Brainerd is given in the manuscript* written by Rev. Elijah Brain-

* A manuscript very similar, prepared by the same person, has been deposited in the New England Historic and Genealogical Society, Boston, Mass.

erd (1757-1828), which is now in the library of the American Antiquarian Society at Worcester, Mass.

Dr. Field, in his "Brainerd Genealogy," said he was raised by the Wyllys family in Hartford, and that the letter from his mother, in which she spelled her name Brainwood, was received after he settled at Haddam. Who could mislay such a document? May we hope that it will yet be found.

In the very quaint and interesting church at Braintree all the parish records previous to 1660 were destroyed during the troubles of the times.

The only item upon the books involving the name and date is in one entry: "Sara, daughter of James Brainard, byried 2 Junne 1664." Beside the loss of church manuscripts, caused by Cromwell's soldiers, the whole of that part of Essex was decimated by the "great plague," and among those who died from that cause at Braintree in 1665 were two "Barnards," one of whom, from the differences in spelling below noted, may possibly have been the father of Daniel.

The family was a prolific one, then as since, and among those proved to have been related the name is given in many different ways, including the following: Brainerd, Brainard, Brainwood, Branwood, Brainewood, Braynard, Braynerd, Branard, Branerd, Brannard, Baynard, Barnerd, Barnard, Barnard, Bernard, and Burnard. It should be remembered that few of the parishioners could spell at all, and that the almost equally ignorant parish clerks entered their names on the records according to the local pronunciation.

Most, if not all, of the above are descended from Ralph Baignard, a favorite lieutenant of William the Norman. By the latter's order he built Baynard's Castle, the Western bastion of the defences of London corresponding to the Tower at the Eastern corner, a small part of the wall of which castle is still standing near Blackfriars Bridge. According to "Doomsday Book" he received some sixty of the captured Saxon fiefs, the greater part being in Essex County. In an article on that book in the *Pall Mall Magazine* is a photograph of a page showing his property in Westminster, London, and in this, as elsewhere, his name is spelled Bainiard. His arms were: "sable, a fesse between two chevrons, or." One of his descendants, Henry Barnard, member of Parliament during the reigns of Henry IV, V, and VI, generally spelled his name Baynard. Ralph's principal residence was in Raynes, the old name of Braintree. Later the family possessed the Lordship of the County, and their home was in the "Manor of Baynards at Missing, twelve miles from Braintree."

Some of the sturdy American Brainerds may not appreciate having their progenitor come to England with William the Conqueror, but the fact cannot be helped. They may perhaps think it more creditable that Daniel's mother owned and operated "two looms." Possibly these are still in existence, for silk weaving remains a specialty at Braintree, as shown by Queen Alexandra having had her coronation robe manufactured there.

Daniel's immediate parentage has not been identified, and therefore his actual connection with the above family is not proved. By his tombstone he was born about 1641, and there is a long interval between that date and the battle of Hastings in 1066. Of many possibilities perhaps the most promising is in the records of the town of Coggeshall, six miles from Braintree, where, on November 23, 1624, Thomas Branwood married Mary Northey; but their last child, whose birth is mentioned there, is Grace Braynwood, born in 1639. Gray is a common name in Coggeshall, and Daniel's mother may have taken her second husband from the friends of her youth in that village.

Yours truly,

THOS. C. BRAINERD.

JEREMIAH GATES BRAINERD.

The following article is from notes kept by Mary G. Brainerd of New London, Conn., which was written by her grandfather, Jeremiah Gates Brainerd:

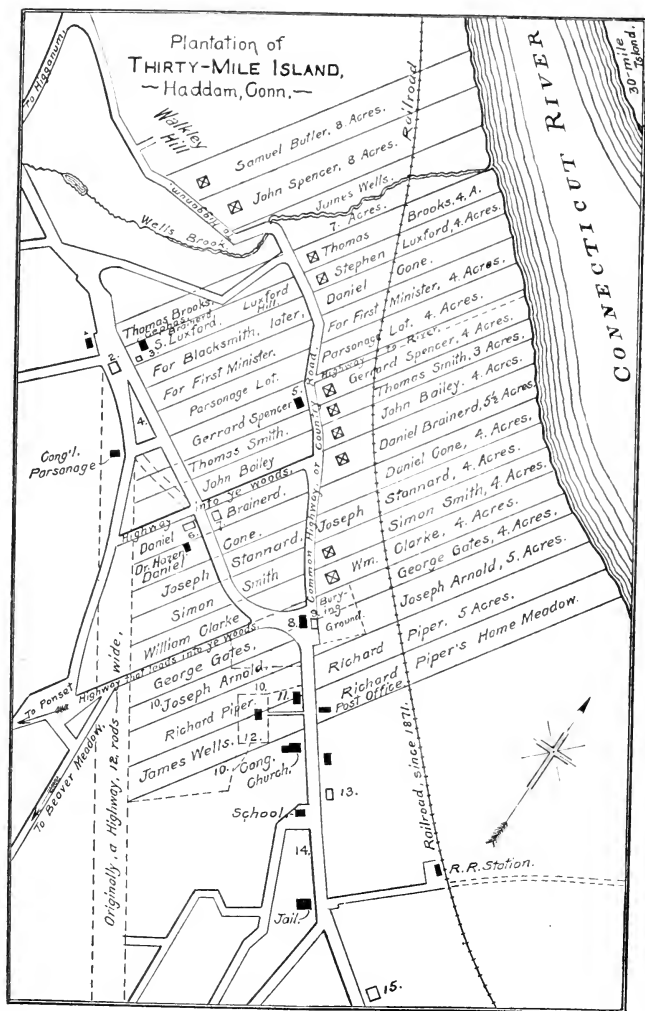
The first Brainard was born in Braintree, Eng., Co. of Essex. It is also said he was decoyed when a boy, brought to Hartford and sold for his passage either into the Wadsworth or Wyllys family. His Christian name was Daniel. It is doubtful whether he could either read or write. Haddam was sold about the time he became of age. He purchased a right and became a settler. His first habitation was under a bank, in Haddam, near the old 'Burying Ground,' a little N. E. of the Court House, it was a kind of Mugs or 'Borough.' In 1807, the remains of it were visible. Daniel was a deacon and settler in Haddam and so called by way of eminence. He was the first and only merchant, in his day, in that town. The store was made of logs. He built a wharf."

From a statistical account of the County of Middlesex by David D. Field:

"The tract of land embraced in the town of Haddam was purchased from the Indians May 20, 1662, for thirty coats which may have been worth one hundred dollars. In the summer of that year it was settled by twenty-eight persons, of which Daniel Brainerd was one, coming from Hartford, Conn. All the early Proprietors of Haddam settled within the limits of Haddam Society, on the rising ground now known as Walkeley Hill, lying between the village of Haddam and Higganum. In Oct., 1668, the settlers were invested with town privileges, and received the name of Haddam, probably from Haddam or Hadham, in England, as the name of the town in its early history was spelled both ways. On Feb. 11, 1686, the assembly gave to the inhabitants a patent of all the lands which had previously been granted them, thereby conferring the grants, with all the appurtenances and privileges, to them and their heirs forever. The settlement was confined to the western side of the river for thirty or forty years. About 1685 and possibly as early as 1670, some of the inhabitants of Haddam, among them the Brainards, moved across to the east side of the river a little south of Haddam and settled East Haddam, probably in that portion of it which is called Creek Row. About 1712 one or two families of Brainers with others went across the river and settled on what is now called Haddam Neck, opposite to Haddam and extending a few miles north of Haddam. About 1732 or '4, some families moved a few miles farther east and formed a settlement which is now called Millington Society, in the town of East Haddam."

Some of the grandchildren a little later moved to the town of Colchester, just over the boundary line dividing East Haddam from Colchester, and settled in the western part of the town in the parish of Westchester. In this line are found many of the descendants of the oldest son of the emigrant Daniel Brainerd. The spirit of enterprise which characterized the early settlers seems not to be waning in their descendants, as they are now found in almost every state of the United States, and in Canada and Australia.

Till within a few years many bearing the name of Brainerd resided within the limits of the town of Haddam, but at the present time a few only with the time-honored name are to be found within its precincts, though many descendants bearing other names are living there.



EXPLANATORY.

The accompanying diagram, compiled in 1906 from descriptive matter in the ancient Haddam records, is intended to represent, approximately, the "Town Plot," or first settlement in that town, soon after 1662, and its location with reference to more recent and present landmarks.

Haddam was incorporated as a town, and given its present name, in October, 1668; previously, it had been known as "The Plantation of Thirty Mile Island."

The highway or "Country Road" through the settlement was probably much wider at first than is now indicated. The lots between it and the river were called "home lots," and the corresponding lots on the opposite side of the road "additional lots." The earliest houses of the settlers seem to have been located along this highway "from the easternmost point of Walkley hill down to the town grave-yard."

The highway leading from the Court House northwesterly to Mr. Cephas Brainerd's place, now the main thoroughfare, does not date back to the settlement; and that portion of it above the "highway into ye woods," was not opened until the Middlesex Turnpike was established, about 1802.

There was another original settlement, known as "The Lower Plantation," located about a mile and a half below the Court House, in what is now "Shailerville."

The lots indicated on the diagram as belonging to Daniel Brainerd are described in the earliest land records at Haddam, as follows:—

"Lands at thirtie mile Ileland Belonging to Daniell Braynard and to his heirs forever:

"One parcel of land being a home lott with the houseing and fenceing thereon Containing five acres & an halfe more or lesse, abutting one the great River Noreast one the Comon high way south west one the land of John Bayly northwest, the land of Daniel Cone South east.

"One parcell of land being an addition to the former Containing three acres more or lesse, abutting one the common high way north east one the Common toune land south-west one ye highway that leads to the woods northwest the land of Daniel Cone South East."

REFERENCES.

■ Buildings now standing.

☒ Supposed location of some earliest dwellings.

□ Other buildings no longer in existence.

1. House of Rev. John Marsh, pastor, 1818-1834.

2. Third Meeting House, standing 1771-1861.

3. Home of Rev. Eleazer May, pastor, 1756-1803.

4. Meeting House Green, dedicated 1878.

5. House of Capt. George Parmelee.

6. Site of M. E. Church, erected 1837.

7. Homestead of Dea. James Brainerd, and of his son, Heber; also birthplace of Hon. Stephen J. Field, 1817.

8. Middlesex County Court House, and Town Hall, erected 1829.

9. Second Meeting House. 1721-1771.

10. Field Park, dedicated 1878.

11. Home of General John Brainerd.

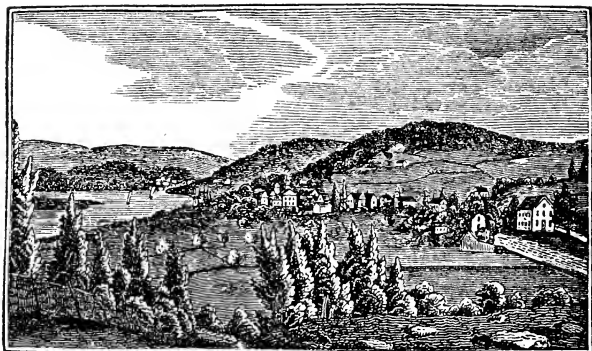
12. Brainerd Academy, founded 1839.

13. Birthplace of Hon. David Dudley Field, 1805; also site of Brainerd Memorial Library.

14. Homestead of Rev. Jeremiah Hobart, first settled pastor.

15. First Meeting House, 1671-1721.

The explanatory article on this page and the accompanying diagram was prepared by Rollin U. Tyler of Haddam, Conn.



Barber's Historical Collections of Connecticut, published in the year 1836, p. 515:

This view was taken at a point on a hill upwards of half a mile northwest from the courthouse, a few rods east from the main road. Connecticut River is seen on the left; also the mouth of Salmon River, and the southern extremity of Haddam Neck, on the east side of Connecticut River. East Haddam Landing is faintly seen in the distance, near the mouth of Salmon River. The courthouse appears nearly in the center of the engraving. The large building seen on the right is the Congregational Church. On the hill which rises in the distance, between and beyond the church and courthouse, is seen the situation of part of the granite quarries, about one hundred yards from the river.

BRAINERD-BRAINARD GENEALOGY.

FIRST GENERATION.

DANIEL¹ BRAINERD,* the progenitor of nearly all of those who bear the name of Brainerd in America, was probably born in Braintree, Essex Co., England, near the year 1641, and was brought to this country when about eight years of age and lived with the Wadsworth† family in Hartford, Conn., remaining there until 1662, when with others, he took up land and made Haddam his permanent home, where was then the stillness of the unbroken wilderness and where the foot of white man had scarcely trod. No house, with its cheery household and welcoming hearthstone, with its glowing fire and warm supper, awaited his arrival. There was no store at which he could procure supplies, no sawmill to prepare the lumber for a house, no church where he might worship God in the humility of his soul, no families to whom he might resort in case of sickness for the tender care which is so much appreciated, but with the energy which characterized the early settlers of our country all obstacles were overcome, trees were felled and soon a house was ready for occupancy. A rude hut or house of small dimensions, of one or at most two rooms was probably built, which well accommodated the household and the few articles for housekeeping of which they were possessed. Houses were often built with a cellar under only a part of the house or under one room only, which was reached by a trap door. Stones gathered from the vicinity were used for the underpinning, covered or banked with earth and turf to protect from the winter's cold. These rude preparations were the foundation for other and more permanent improvements, which followed in due time.

Daniel Brainerd's children were baptized in Middletown, about eight miles distant, before permission was granted to the citizens of Haddam by the General Court of Connecticut to build a church and with a settled minister to maintain independent worship, to

* The late D. D. Field, in the Brainerd genealogy printed in 1857, stated that the Brainerd boy lived in the Wyllis family in Hartford. Excepting his statement I have found nothing whatever to support it. Mr. Cephas Brainerd of New York city once said to me that he did not doubt the statement, as Hezekiah Brainerd, who died in Hartford while a member of the Connecticut Legislature, was taken to the house of Hezekiah Wyllis for funeral obsequies. As Hezekiah Wyllis and Hezekiah Brainerd married sisters it was very natural that his body should be taken there. He probably stopped there while attending the legislature. I have once seen it in print that he was in the Wadsworth family, but did not take the title of the book in which it was found. Others have seen it, but are unable to state in what book.

† The manuscript to which reference is made in other places said he lived in the Wadsworth family. The manuscript was deposited in "The Antiquarian Society of Worcester, Mass.," by J. W. Thornton, Esq., June 18, 1862.

baptize the children, to perform the marriage ceremony, and to bury the dead. The journey thither was on horseback, following the Indian trail, which became a bridle path, with the wife seated on a pillion, carrying the child in her arms. The children were baptized as "children of ye church of Christ in Lyn (Lynn, Mass.) received ye Initiatory seal of ye covenant baptism by virtue of Communion of Churches."

Daniel Brainerd of Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn., m., about 1663 or '64, Hannah Spencer,* b. about 1641 at Lynn, Mass., dau. of Gerrard and Hannah Spencer of Lynn, Mass., formerly of "The New Town," Cambridge, Mass., afterwards, about the year 1663 or '64, one of the first settlers of Haddam, Conn. Mrs. Hannah (Spencer) Brainerd d. before 1691, or about that time. He m. (2), March 30, 1693, Mrs. Elizabeth (Wakeman) Arnold, b. , dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth () Wakeman, formerly of England. Samuel Wakeman d. at the Bahama Islands in 1641. Mrs. Arnold was mother of Deacon Arnold.† Mrs. Elizabeth (Wakeman) (Arnold) Brainerd d. ——. He m. (3), November 29, 1698, Mrs. Hannah (Spencer) Sexton, b. probably April 25, 1653, and dau. of Thomas and Sarah (Bearding) Spencer, and widow of George Sexton,‡ who was son of George Sexton of Windsor, Conn. Dea. Daniel Brainerd d. April 1, 1715, ae. 74 yrs., and is buried in the ancient burying ground in Haddam, a few rods east of the Court House. Mrs. Hannah (Spencer) (Sexton) Brainerd, d.

Daniel Brainerd's home lot in the town plot was No. 51½, and was bounded west on the main street, north by John Bailie, east on the river, and south by Joseph Stannard. The home lots contained about four acres.

East Haddam — Incorporated May, 1734, from Haddam. In Hartford until October sessions, 1741, since then in East Haddam, except that a small part of the town was in Chatham from May

* In the book entitled "Our New England Ancestors and their Descendants" it says that a child older than Hannah Spencer was born in Lynn, Mass., so I inferred that Hannah was born there. The late D. D. Field said she was born in England. Gerrard Spencer, the father of Hannah (Spencer) Brainerd was born in Stotfold, Bedfordshire, England.

† By the manuscript Dea. Arnold's mother m. Daniel Brainwood and Dea. Arnold's father was Joseph Arnold; and the town records state that his widow m. March 30, 1693, but it does not state whom she married.

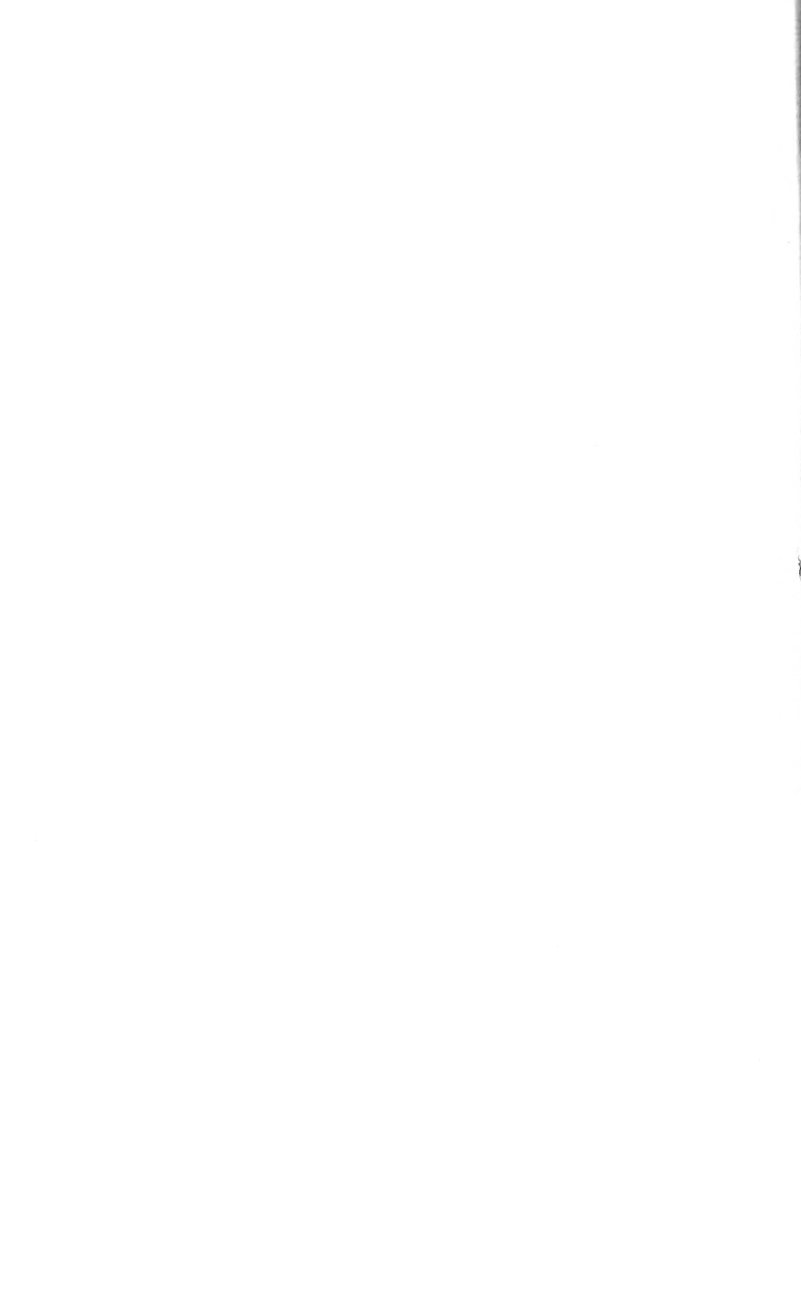
‡ There were three early Sextons who had wives of the name of Hannah. Mr. H. W. Brainard, in searching for Sexton records, found that Richard Sexton m. June 20, 1706, Hannah, dau. of Peter Buel (Simsbury records). Richard d. March 27, 1714, and his estate was distributed April 4, 1727, at which date the widow Hannah had not married again.

Joseph Sexton, son of Thomas the miller at Boston, b. May 9, 1656, at Boston, d. 1715 in Stonington, Conn. He m. July 15, 1680, Mrs. Hannah Cheesboro, b. May 20, 1643, dau. of Capt. George and Bridget (Thomson) Denison, and widow of Nathaniel Cheesboro, who d. Nov. 22, 1678. Joseph Sexton died the same year that Daniel Brainerd died. Not either of these two Hannahs could have been the third wife of Daniel Brainerd.

Hannah, the widow of George Sexton, Jr., of Hartford, Westfield, and Newtown, L. I., and probably dau. of Sergt. Thomas Spencer, was undoubtedly the third wife of Daniel Brainerd. I have so placed it. Other investigators may be able to find facts I have been unable to discover to prove or disprove the statement.



THE HEADSTONE OF DANIEL¹ BRAINERD, THE EMIGRANT ANCESTOR,
AT HADDAM, CONN.



session, 1830, to June 2, 1831. Colchester was taken from East Haddam May 29, 1832.—From *Annual Report of Connecticut Historical Society*, May, 1897.

Daniel Brainerd* held many public offices of that day. He was repeatedly honored by reappointment to the office of constable, surveyor, fence viewer, town assessor, collector, and justice of the peace, and with others was one appointed to stake out land and to lay out highways. He was elected Commissioner by the General Court in Hartford, Conn., in 1669. For his services as deputy to the General Court see foot note p. 40. He was one of a committee to secure a minister, Jan. 1, 1682, and was elected deacon of the Congregational Church in that place, serving in that capacity through life.

At the present day it is interesting to note how particular the inhabitants, 250 years ago, were in making an inventory of all their household goods and their belongings or estates, therefore, I have printed as an item of exceeding interest to the descendants, the inventory and distribution of the property of Daniel Brainerd, our common ancestor. The will has not been found.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

This Court grants Letters of Administration on the Estate of Daniel Braynard late of Haddam, Senior deceased jointly to Daniel Braynard and Hezekiah Braynard sons of the Said dec^d provided they give bond as the law requires—and this Court Orders the said Administrators to render an acct of their Administration on or before the first Mundy of June Anno Dom. 1716, and the said Daniel and Hez: Braynard exhibited now in this Court an Inventory of the Estate of the said dec^d upon oath in manner accustomed which Inventory this Court Orders to be Recorded and kept upon file.

Daniel Braynard, James Braynard, Joshua Braynard, William Braynard, Caleb Braynard, Elijah Braynard and Hezekiah Braynard, children of Daniel Braynard, Sen^r late of Haddam, deceased exhibited now in this Court an agreement in writing under their hands and seals made for the Division and Settlement, of the Estate of the said deceased among them, which agreement they severally acknowledged to be their voluntary and free act, and Deed and owned their hands and seals thereunto sett, This Court proceed not to approve and confirme the said agreement, inasmuch as one of the parties therein concerned could not attend this Court at this time to acknowledge the same as the Law requires. But order that the said

* Colonial Records of Connecticut, 1689-1706, Vol. IV, p. 71, May 12, 1692: "This Court doe for the present upon good considerationn and till farther ordered free Daniel Braynard from training."

Page 294, May, 1699: "Mr. Danll Brainerd with others are by this Assembly appointed a committee with full power to view the lands at Cockinchauge and the parts adjacent. and to lay out a township therein such forme as they shall judge most convenient for the farmes already laid out there."

Page 321, May 9, 1700: "Some of the inhabitants of Haddam having presented Mr. Daniel Brainerd senr to be established Captⁿ of the trainband there, this court considering the present circumstances of the people there, doe see cause to suspend that matter till their sessions in October next.

Page 368, Oct., 1701: "Mr. Daniel Brainerd was appointed an agent with others for the proprietors in the undivided lands on the west side of Connecticutt River in the township of Haddum."

agreement be kept on file — pp. 253 & 254, Bk. 8. Probate Records, Hartford, Conn.

An Inventory of the Estate of Mr Daniel Braynard late of Haddam, deceased, taken April 18th & 19th, Anno Dom. 1715 by us the Subscribers:

	£	s.	d.
Imprs 1st To his son Daniel Braynard, 31 acres land at Machemodus, 20 ^l . 20 acres at the head of the meadow, 10 ^l	30	0	0
50 acres at the north corner of Haddam bounds 12 ^l	12	0	0
2 ^{ly} To Joshua Braynard 70 acres at upper end the meadow by Said Daniel Braynard	35	0	0
2 ¹ / ₂ acres boggy meadow at Machemodus 54 ^s / & 50 acres at Haddam north corner 12 ^l	14	12	0
3 ^{ly} To James Braynard 1 acre land in home field 4 ^l /10 ^s / 2 small pieces in home meadow 5 ^l / old orchard 3 ^l /	12	10	0
2 small lots at lower end the upper meadow 10 ^l / a 3 acre lot in equall division 3 ^l / 50 acres East side near 8 mile river 15 ^l /	28	0	0
20 acres nex Wm Spencer, 6 ^l / 2 ¹ / ₂ acres bog meadow at Machemodus, 54 ^l / & 50 acres at Haddam, North Corner, 12 ^l /	20	12	0
4 ^{ly} To William Braynard 2 lots in 2 nd division East Side adjoining 60 ^l / 2 ¹ / ₂ acres bog meadow 54 ^l / Luxford's 3 acre lot 3 ^l /	65	10	0
half Capt Gate's lot against the house 12 ^l 60 acres on Chesnut Hill West Side River 15 ^l /	27	0	0
130 ^l / right in undivided land East Side to be equally divided between James & William —	13	0	0
5 ^{ly} To Caleb Braynard 30 acres in 2 nd division West Side wch was kennods 6 ^l / 62 acres in 4 th Division West Side 15 ^l /10 ^s	21	10	0
Tho Brooks lott upper meadow lower lot 6 ^l / Danl Cone's upper lot in S ^d meadow — 12 ^l /	18	0	0
6 ^{ly} To Elijah Braynard his Originall right on the plain East Side 8 ^l /76 ^s /10 ^d , right thro S ^d plain or neck of land 6 ^l /	14	0	0
all the meadow land at Heganum Cove except 4 acres at uper corner, 30 ^l / a lot in 3 ^d Division near Durham 8 ^l /	38	0	0
7 ^{ly} To Hezekiah Braynard his Dwelling house, barn, Orchard, and southernmost part of his Farm from the highway to his brother Elijah's land & from the Country Road to the River being 35 acres —	167	10	0
4 acres land at Heganum cove 20 ^l / 31 acres of Wm Spencer's 7 ^l /15 ^s / 16 acres of Sam ^l Spencers 4 ^l /16 ^s	34	11	0
1 ³ / ₈ part of the 4 th division lot on West Side his own Original right being 374 ^l / containing 75 acres. the 3 ^d whereof is	15	0	0
24 acres at Candlewood hill 13 ^l /6 ^s / the upper lot in the upper meadow 12 ^l 1 ¹ / ₂ blackleach's & Capt. Gate's lots in S ^d meadow rgt,	54	6	0
long table & chest, 21 ^s / bay horse 4 ^l / 2 oxen 11 ^l / beam tackling & cart plow, Chains, yoke & 4 horse tackling 4 ^l /10	20	11	0
2 Cows 6 ^l / a harrow 20 ^s / 7 ^{ly} To Hannah Gates 50 acres land at Haddam, North Corner, 12 ^l	19	0	0
8 ^{ly} 269 ^l right in plain or neck East Side Great River 28 pound 677 ^l Right in undivided land West Side River, 50 ^l /	78	0	0
9 ^{ly} a 4 yr old Steer 3 ^l /10 ^s / a Cow at Nat Spencer Junr 3 ^l /10 ^s / 1 cow 3 ^l / 1 Cow 3 ^l / a bull 50 ^s 4 year old Cattle 5 ^l / a heifer & Steer in woods 5 ^l /	25	10	0
2 two year old steers, 3 ^l /16 ^s / 10 sheep & 10 lambs 4 ^l / 13 sheep 3 ^l /9s a 2 yr old Colt 4 ^l / 2 small deer skins 3s/	13	8	0
12 flints, 2 laces, 2 aulblades & 1 C 4 ^d nails in a pouch 18 ^d / 18 flints 6 ^d 6 ^l lead 2s/ a catechism 3 ^d / 2 napkins 1s/ 1 ¹ / ₂ m pins 14 ^d 1 ^l powdr & bag thrs in 3s/	0	9	5
2 horns 6 ^d / 12 needles 4 ^d 6 doz wast coat buttons 18 ^d old iron wth 4 ferrels 4s/6 ^d a horse & pad Lock wth keys 2s a narrow ax & candlestick 2s/	0	10	10
a Cowbell 4s/6 ^d handfaw 2s/ drawing knife 18 ^d 2 Sythes &			

tackling 8s/ ½ a Sythe 6d/ a gimlet 4s 2 hammers 2s a Chifell 6d an axe 2s/	1 - 1 - 10
a Stubbing hod 30d a hatchet broad axe 3s/ 1 auger 1s a hatchet 6s/ beetlerings & 3 wedges 7s/6d Iron crow 5s/ peas hook 18d	1 - 6 - 6
a mortar & Iron pestle 3s/ a dripping pan & fender 6s/ old frying pan 2s/ a tramel 4s/ 1 dito 3s/ a pr tongs & peal 7s	1 - 5 - 0
a gridiron 3s/ 2 Candlesticks 18d 12 pr stillyards 8s/ per pr a sword 4s/ great gun 7s/ 1 dito small 5s/ brass kettle wgt 40l at 5l	6 - 6 - 10
a Skillet 5s/ 1 dito 18d warming pan 12s/ Iron Spindle 6d/ old brass kettle wgt 22l at 20s/ large Iron pot 19s/ wth hooks	2 - 18 - 0
a small Iron pot 9s/ a broad hod 4s/ 2 dito old 2s/ plough share & Colter 7s/ a cupboard 2l/10s/ large bible 35s/ 5 small books 4s/2d	5 - 11 - 2
a spitt 4s/ seed peck 8d/ half bushl 16d/ half peck 1s/ a fan 8s/ 2 forks with ferrels 3s/	0 - 18 - 2
10½ 1 old Sythe 1s/ a Spade 2s/ grindstone 3s/ hay knife 30d/ old table 2s 6 barrls 8s 2 dito 18d/ Chees prefs 5s/ a tub & 2 old barrls 3s	1 - 8 - 0
Meal trough 1s 3 old barrels 2s/8d 2½ C 6d nails 20d 8 barrls in cellar 13s a funnel 18d a Cag 1s/ butter tub 2s gallon bottle 18s	1 - 4 - 4
a baiket 8d/ Small tub 1s/ can 16d hand pail 6d/ a Riddle 8d old Cart rope 30d a Feather bed 2 bolsters & 2 pillows in porch 4l/10s	4 - 16 - 8
under bed 18d/ Coverlet 6d/ 1 dito 4s/ a bedstead 5s/ a pr sheets & bed cord all wth said bed a bedticking in North Chamber 13s/4d	2 - 10 - 4
a coverlet 8s/ a sett of curtains & vallans 10s/ bedstead 3s bed ticking & bolster 6s/ a chest 5s/ a saddle 2s/ a pr sheets 20s/ a pr dito 15s/	3 - 9 - 0
a pr. sheets 15s/ a pr dito small 10s/ a pr dito 12s/ 1 dito 3s/ 1 dito 5s a table cloth 6s/ 1 dito 30d 1 dito small 2s/ 1 dito 2s/	2 - 12 - 6
1 dito 1s/4 towels 2s/8d 2 old pillow bears 1s/4d 3 napkins 2s/12 dito 13s/ a table cloth 2s/2 pillow bears 2s	1 - 4 - 0
1 towel 8d/ 1 dito 4d a tablecloth 4s/ a pr cotton sheets 20s/ 1 old pr sheets 5s/ 2 sheets 10s/ all in a chest North Chamber	2 - 0 - 0
6 bags 4s/ 3 bags 9s/ 3 dito new 10s/6d 3 yds Coarse Cloth 4s/6d a Cane 11s/ a large glass bottle 20d 1 dito small 8d	2 - 0 - 10
5 Chairs 5s/ 1 great dito 18d/ a Chest 3s/ 1 dito 2s/ a pail 1s/ 1 dito 8d/ 2 trays 3s/ 9 trenchers 6d/ 2 bowls 2s/4d/2 dishes 8d	0 - 18 - 2
2 wood Platters 7d/ a knot dish 1s/ 6½ old Pewter 7s/6d — a flaggon 3s/ a qt pot 2s/ old platter & small beaker 4s/	0 - 18 - 1
a qt. pot 2s/ a Chamberpot 3s/ 23l pewter at 2s/3d a tin funnel 10d a tin pint 4d/ a Feather bed in lower room wth bolsters & pillows 4s/16d	7 - 7 - 11
under bed & matt 2s/ bed cord 2s/ bedstead 5s/ Curtains & valians 20s/ green rug 30s/ a Coverlet 10s/ 1 dito 15s/ a blanket 8s/	4 - 12 - 0
old blanket 4s/ 15l Tanned leather 15s/ 2 old pr woolen Stockins 2s/ a wastcoat 6s/ a pair woolen breeches 5s/ a Callybash 8d/	1 - 12 - 8
a large Foarme 6s/ severall small things to the value of about 16s	1 - 2 - 0

£834 - 10 - 3

A Distribution made by agreement among the Children and heirs of Mr Daniel Braynard of Haddam deceased of the Estate of their Said Father —

Wee Daniel, James, Joshua, William, Caleb, Elijah and Hezekiah, all Sons of said Daniel and I Thomas Gates acting in behalf of my wife Hannah, onely daughter to Said Daniel Braynard, finding the last Will and Testament of or S ^d Hon ^d Father not in all things So full and Clear as we could wish, have 'thou't it best to agree upon a distribution of the Estate of S ^d Hon ^d Father and having first come to a Loving agreement with our Hon ^d Mother in Law Hannah Braynard have proceeded to make the following Distribution of the Remainder of our Said Father's Estate, which distribution we do hereby bind and oblige orselves and heirs to abide by forever. Impr To Daniel Braynard Eldest Son, 31 acres or half a Lottment of Land at Machemodus in the 2 nd Division, Said Daniel already having a deed of Gift from S ^d Hon ^d Father for the other half thereof		£20 - 0 - 0
More—twenty acres in the 4 th Division at S ^d Machemodus at the head of the meadows—at		10 - 0 - 0
More—fifty acres of land bought of Mrs blackleach on the North Side of Haddam bounds in Colchester bounds at		12 - 0 - 0
More—in Personall or movable Estate		8 - 1 - 0
	Total	50 - 1 - 0
	£ s. d.	
2 nd To James Braynard—One acre of Land in the homefield at—		4 - 10 - 0
More—2 Small parcells of Swamp in the home meadow		5 - 0 - 0
More—the Old Orchard in the home field at—		3 - 0 - 0
More—2 Small Lotts in the lower end of the upper meadow, viz, or Fathers own Original lot, and John Spencer's lott lying both together—		10 - 0 - 0
More—Thomas Smith's lott in the Equall Division at		3 - 0 - 0
More—a lott at Machemodus, in the 3 ^d division Containing 50-acres Lying near Eight mile River—		15 - 0 - 0
More—half the Right in undivided Land at Machemodus which was or Fathers at his death at—		6 - 10 - 0
More—twenty acres of Land at Machemodus in the 3 ^d Division Joyning with land of William Spencer at		6 - 0 - 0
More—a third part of or Fathers boggy meadow at Machemodus not disposed of before his death—at—		2 - 12 - 0
More—50 acres of land bought of Mrs Blackleach lying on the North Side of Haddam bounds in Colchester bounds—at—		12 - 0 - 0
More—lands and Rights on the plain and on the West side of the River		17 - 0 - 0
More—in personall or moveable Estate		8 - 1 - 0
	Total	92 - 13 - 0
3 ^d To Joshua Braynard Seventy acres of Land (if Join the lot) it being the remainder of the lot at the head of Machemodus meadow whereof Daniel hath 20 acres—at—		35 - 0 - 0
More—one third part of our Fathers boggy meadow at Machemodus not disposed of before his death—at—		2 - 12 - 0
More—fifty acres of Land bought of Mrs Blackleach on the North Side of Haddam bounds in Colchester bounds		12 - 0 - 0
More—in Personall or moveable Estate		8 - 1 - 0
	Totall	57 - 13 - 0
4 th To William Braynard—Lotts in the 2 nd division at Machemodus, viz, Ventrous his lott and parents his Lott Joyning both together—at—		60 - 0 - 0

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More—one third part of our Fathers boggy meadow at Machemodus not disposed of before his death—at	4-12-0
More—Stephen Luxfords 3 acre lott in the Equal division at	3-0-0
More—a lott bought of Thomas Gates in the upper meadow—at	12-0-0
More—63 acres of Land on Chesnut Hill on the West Side of the Great River bought of Nathan ^l Cone—at—	15-0-0
More—half the Right in undivided Lands in Machemodus which was or Fathers at his death.	6-10-0
More—in Personall or Movable Estate	8-1-0
More—Lands and Rights on the Plain and on the West Side the River	17-0-0
Total	£124-3-0

5 th To Caleb Braynard 30 acres of Land on the West Side the River weh was John Kennots S ^d division	6-0-0
More—62 acres of Land on the West Side the great River weh is 4 th division land bo't of Nathan ^l Cone—at	15-0-0
More—Thomas Brooks his lower in the upper meadow—at	6-0-0
More—Daniel Cone his upper lott in the upper meadow—at	12-0-0
More—Lands and Rights on the Plain on the West Side the great River	17-0-0
More in Personall or moveable Estate.	8-1-0
Total	64-12-0

6 ^{thly} To Elijah Braynard or S ^d Fathers own Original lot on the plain, on the East Side ye great River—at	8-0-0
More—76 ¹ / ₁₀ s/ Right which was or Fathers own also thro all Said Plain, or neck of land besides S ^d 1 st division—at	6-0-0
More—all or Fathers land meadow or upland at or near Heganum Cove, Except 4 acres at the North end next S ^d Cove	30-0-0
More—one lot viz: or Fathers own Original Lott near Durham in the 3 ^d division lots	8-0-0
More—Lands and Rights on the West Side the great River	10-0-0
More—in Personall or Moveable Estate	8-1-0
Total	£70-1-0

7 th To Hezekiah Braynard, or S ^d H ^{oned} Fathers house, barn, Orchard, & homestead viz; about 35 acres of land, being the Southermost part of the farme he lived on abutting on the high way South East on the high way or Country Road South West on the Meerstones Sett by our father, one near the River, and one near the Road which are to be boundaries betwixt Elijah and Hezekiah and their heirs forever North West and on the great River, North East with fruit trees and fences, all at	167-10-0
More—4 acres of Meadow at Heganum Cove viz. at the Northermost End of or fathers meadow lane there—at—	20-0-0
Total	£187-10-0

More—31 acres of land bought of William Spencer lying near Durham	7-15-0
More—16 acres of 1 st Division land on the West Side bought of Sam ^l Spencer	4-16-0
More—one third part of or Fathers own 4 th Divifion lot on the West side the great River being 75 acres	15-0-0
More—25 acres of land at Candlewood Hill	13-6-0
More—our Fathers own Originall upper lot in the upper meadow—at	12-0-0
More—half a lot Bought of Mr Blackleach and half a lot bought of Joseph Gates lying together in ye upper meadow	29-0-0

More — 35 acres and half of Land on the West Side at a place called Thomas Millars pond — at	12 - 0 - 0
More — Lands and Rights on the plain and on the West Side the great River	17 - 0 - 0
More — in Personall or moveable Estate	8 - 1 - 0
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	£330 - 18 - 0
8 ^{ly} To Thomas Gates acting in behalf of his wife Hannah only daughter to or Said Hon ^d Father 50 acres of Land bought of Mrs Blackleach on the North Side of Haddam bounds in Colchester bounds	12 - 0 - 0
More — in Personall or moveable Estate	33 - 10 - 0
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Total	£45 - 10 - 0

Moreover — Wee the aforementioned Eight, Vizy — Dan^l — James and the Rest do hereby unanimously agree that all Lands divided and Rights in undivided Lands which belonged to or S^d Father the day of his death on the West Side the great River in Haddam which are not herebefore Expressed shall belong to James William Caleb Elijah and Hezekiah in Equall Proportion S^d Lands and Rights being appraised at fifty 50 pounds.

Moreover We do unanimously agree that all Lands and Rights in undivided lands on the East Side the great River in that Tract of Land Called the Neck or plain viz from Middletown bounds to the great Cove and from the Great River to Salmon River not before Expressed shall belong in Equall proportion as afore to James, William, Caleb, and Hezekiah, Said Lands and Rights being appraised at 28^l pounds.

— Pages 37, 38, 39, Book 9, Hartford Probate Records.

This Distribution. — I Thomas Gates acting in behalf of my wife Hannah, and We Daniel, James, Joshua, William, Caleb Elijah and Hezekiah have fully and freely made of our Hon^d Fathers Daniel Braynard his Estate, and do hereby promise and engage for or Selves and heirs each to take up Satisfied of lands herebefore Sett down to us and to make no more Challenges or demands of any more lands or Rights with or by vertue or under Colour of any deed of Gift Received from our Father in his life time, or upon any other Colour or pretense whatsoever, and that we do receive S^d lands and every parcell of them as or S^d Father held them the day of his death, each running the resque (risk) of the Title or Father had to them, and being obliged to defend the Same for his own part of these occasion.

Moreover Wee said Daniel, James, Joshua, William, Caleb and Elijah do hereby, that we have received Eight pounds and one Shilling apiece at Inventory apprizement out of the Personall Estate of our Said Father. and I Thomas Gates do acknowledge that I have Received 33 pounds and one shilling — And I Hezekiah have Received 34 pounds and twelve shilling both at Inventory apprizement as afore which Sums we do all acknowledge to be our full dues of the Personall Estate of or Said Father, and we have received into or full Custody or pofsefsion and do hereby declare our full acceptance of, as fully as if every particular we received were here inferted — Moreover, we do all and each of us for or Selves and heirs hereby Covenant and promise that we Shall make no more demands of Estate Real or Parsonell, that was or Fathers and that we will in no wife disturb, or annoy each other, but that each of the Eight afore mentioned and their heirs may Quietly Enjoy his part afore mentioned. Moreover, I Elijah do hereby Covenant and promise for mySelf, my heirs and Afsigns, forever, to allow paising and Repaising in the Usual Cartway through my land, on all necessary Concerns to the 4 acres of meadow lying at Hegatum Cove, which is my brother Hezekiah's and that neither I my heirs or afsigns shall hinder or disturb him his heirs or Afsigns in so doing, and whereas there is a Cart way from the great River cross the farme about the dividend line betwixt us Elijah and Hezekiah, we do each for or Selves and heirs hereby Covenant and promise that neither of us Shall disturb the other, in using Said Cart way, freely, unto the full Ratification

of all wch premises we have all and each of Us hereunto Sett our hand and Affixed his seal this 2nd day of May in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifteen, in the 1st Year of the Reign of King George —

DANIEL BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —	JAMES BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —
JOSHUA BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —	WILLIAM BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —
CALEB BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —	ELIJAH BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —
HEZEKIAH BRAYNARD — [A SEAL] —	

—Hartford Probate Records, Book 9, p. 39.

Children by the first marriage:

2. i. DANIEL, b. March 2, 1665-66, in Haddam, Conn.
- ii. HANNAH, b. Nov. 20, 1667, in Haddam, Conn.; m. Oct. 3, 1692, Thomas Gates,* b. Jan. 21, 1664-65, in Haddam, Conn., son of George and Sarah (Olmsted) Gates of the same place. He was chosen proprietors' clerk, and filled the office till his death, his last record being dated March 6, 1734. This office was equivalent to that of town clerk. The records of the east side of the town were kept separately from those on the west side (Haddam). He was chosen justice of the peace in 1704, and held the office till his death. He represented the town in the legislature of his state for twenty-two sessions, from May, 1703, to Oct., 1738, and after the division of the town of East Haddam from Haddam, which was in 1734. He was elected deacon of the Congregational Church in that place in 1704, and retained the office during life. He was called Captain. Dea. Thomas Gates d. April 20, 1734, ae. 69 yrs., in East Haddam, Conn. The inscription on his tombstone is as follows: "Here lieth the body of Thomas Gates, Justice of the Peace." Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Gates d. Sept. 7, 1750, in the same place, ae. nearly 83 yrs. The following inscription was found on her gravestone: "Here lies interred the body of Mrs. Hannah Gates, relict of Thomas Gates, Esq., who departed this life Sept. 17, 1750, in the 83d yr. of her age." Her body lies in the Cove burying ground a mile north of East Haddam Landing. Gates ch.: 1. Thomas, b. Oct. 3, 1693, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. May 20, 1694, in Middletown, Conn.; m. Aug. 17, 1722, Dorothy Cone, dau. of Dea. Daniel and Mary (Gates) Cone. 2. Daniel, b. May 26, 1695, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. Nov. 10, 1695, in Middletown, Conn.; m., June 13, 1723, Sarah Cone, dau. of Daniel and Mary (Gates) Cone. 3. Jeremiah, b. March 17, 1697, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Dec. 7, 1721, Mary Emmons, dau. of Samuel and Ruth (Cone) Emmons. 4. Hannah, b. June 11, 1699, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct., 1713, ae. 14 yrs. 5. Esther, b. Feb. 24, 1701, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Dec. 1, 1720, ae. 19 yrs. 6. Mary, b. Aug. 29, 1703, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Bezaleel Brainerd. 7. George, b. Nov. 17, 1705, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Dec. 30, 1730, Sarah Olmsted, dau. of John and Susannah (Brainerd) Olmsted. 8. Joshua, b. April 26, 1708, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Lydia Brainerd, dau. of Joshua and Lady Mehetable (Dudley) Brainerd. 9. Timothy, b. May 29, 1710, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iii. JAMES, b. June 2, 1669, in Haddam, Conn.
- iv. JOSHUA, b. July 20, 1671-72, in Haddam, Conn.; bapt. Oct. 7, 1672, in Middletown, Conn.

* Thomas Gates was the second son of George Gates, one of the first settlers of Haddam, Conn., whose wife, Sarah Olmsted, was dau. of Nicholas Olmsted of Hartford, Conn.

- v. WILLIAM, b. March 30, 1673-74, in Haddam, Conn.; bapt. May 5, 1674, in Middletown, Conn.
- vi. CALEB, b. Nov. 20, 1675-76, in Haddam, Conn.
- vii. ELIJAH, b. about 1677-78, in Haddam, Conn.; bapt. March 26, 1678, in Middletown, Conn.
- viii. HEZEKIAH, b. May 24, 1680-81, in Haddam, Conn.; bapt. March 7, 1682, in Middletown, Conn.

The Colonial Records of Connecticut (vol. 1689-1706), show that Daniel Brainard was present as a deputy to the General Court at the May session, 1692 (page 66), special session, June, 1692 (page 75), October session, 1692 (page 78), May session, 1693 (page 92), special session, September, 1693 (page 102), October session, 1693 (page 105), special session, February, 1693-4 (page 117), May session, 1695 (page 138), October session, 1695 (page 149), October session, 1696 (page 174), May session, 1697 (page 197), October session, 1697 (page 221), special session, January, 1697-8 (page 235), May session, 1698 (page 244), October session, 1698 (page 265), May session 1701 (page 343), October session, 1701 (page 359), May session, 1702 (page 372), October session, 1702 (page 395), May session, 1703 (page 407), October session, 1703 (page 434), May session, 1704 (page 461), October session, 1704 (page 482), May session, 1705 (page 499), October session, 1705 (page 521), May session, 1706 (page 532).

The same volume also shows that Mr. Daniel Brainard was chosen Justice of the Peace for the county of Hartford at the May session in 1701 (page 347) and again in May, 1704 (page 467) and a third time in May, 1705 (page 499), May session, 1692. "This Court do for the present upon good considerations and until further order free Daniel Braynard from training." (page 71).

May session, 1700. "Some of the inhabitants of Haddam having presented Mr. Daniel Brainard Sr. to be established Capt. of the trainband there, this Court considering the present circumstances of the people there, doe see cause to suspend that matter till their sessions in October next" (page 321).

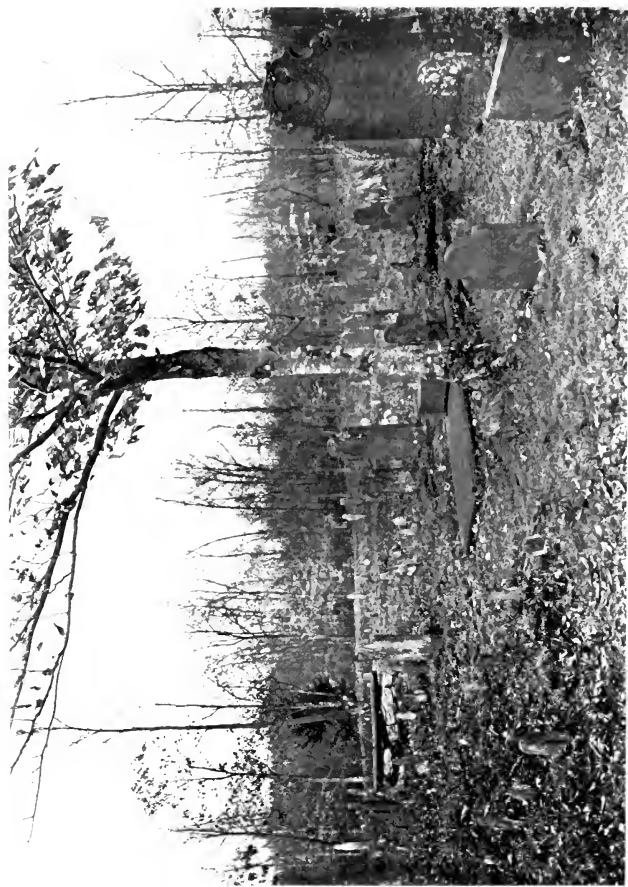
There is no record of any further action upon this nomination of Daniel Brainard, Senior, as captain, and he was in all probability never confirmed.

The Colonial Records (vol. 1706-1716) show that Daniel Brainard was present as a deputy to the General Court (or assembly) at the special August session, 1710 (page 163), October (regular) session, 1710 (page 141), October session, 1711 (page 275), November session (special) 1711 (page 293), October session, 1712 (page 345), October session, 1715 (page 519).

As the records do not have the designation senior or junior after the name in any case it is impossible to tell whether Daniel¹ Brainard or his son Daniel² Brainard was the deputy, or Justice of the Peace. Certainly it was Daniel¹, Jr., who was deputy in October, 1715, for Daniel Senior had died in Apr. of that year. It is not an impossible supposition that Daniel, Jr., was a deputy as early as 1692, and that all the later entries on the records refer to him.

A Daniel Brainard was confirmed as captain in 1714 (?) (page 465, of vol. 1706-1716) and this was certainly Daniel² Brainard.





VIEW IN COVE BURYING GROUND, EAST HADDAM, CONN., APRIL, 1907.

1. Table Monument of Deacon Thomas Gates (1664-1730); 2. Table Monument of Deacon Daniel Richerd, Jr. (1655-1747).
3. Headstone (large one) of Captain Joshua Brainerd (1671-1755).

SECOND GENERATION.

FIRST SON AND FIRST CHILD.

2. DANIEL² BRAINERD, JR. (*Daniel¹*), of Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., about 1688, Susannah Ventres, b., about 1669, in Haddam, Conn., bapt. May 21, 1704, dau. of William and Elizabeth () Ventres* of the same place; she joined the church Feb. 5, 1720-21. He was a farmer, locating on the east side of Connecticut River, a mile north of East Haddam Landing, near a spring of water at the southern end of Creek Row, where his descendant, Darius Brainerd, lived and died. The property (1890) was owned by another descendant, William Orrin Brainerd. He was collector May 21, 1688, surveyor the same year and in 1692; constable in 1693. He was elected deacon in the Congregational Church in East Haddam, in 1725, which office he held during life. He was often chosen committee for laying out of lands in East Haddam, and was chosen one of the proprietor's committee Jan. 5, 1782. At a town meeting held in East Haddam Sept. 21, 1724, Capt. Daniel Brainerd† and Lieut. Joshua Brainerd were of the committee chosen to build a church. He was several times chosen representative to the General Court, at its semi-yearly sessions, which were held alternately at Hartford and New Haven, Conn., nearly continuously from May, 1726, to May, 1734. Dea. Daniel Brainerd d. Jan. 28, 1742-43, or, by his headstone, Feb. 28, 1742-43, ae. 77 yrs. Mrs. Susannah Brainerd d. Jan. 26, 1754, in her 86th year.

Children:

3. i. SUSANNAH, b. Aug. 9, 1689, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. May 31, 1691, in Middletown, Conn.
4. ii. DANIEL, b. Sept. 28, 1690, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. May 31, 1691, in Middletown, Conn.
5. iii. HANNAH, b. June 12, 1694, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. June 21, 1696, in Middletown, Conn.
6. iv. NOADIAH, b. April 4, 1697, in East Haddam, Conn.
7. v. STEPHEN, b. Feb. 27, 1699, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. June 9, 1700, in Middletown, Conn.
8. vi. BEZALEEL, b. April 17, 1701, in East Haddam, Conn.
9. vii. MARY, b. Sept. 10, 1703, in East Haddam, Conn.; bapt. May 24, 1704.

* The wife of William Ventres, at the time he made his will, was Elizabeth. Savage thinks she was not the mother of his children. I have been unable to find any statement for or against it. In his will he calls his dau. Elizabeth Brainwood.

† Colonial Records of Connecticut. 1706-1716. Vol. 5, p. 465, Oct., 1714: "This Assembly do establish and confirm Mr. Daniel Brainard to be Captain of the company or trainband in the town of East Haddam.

THIRD GENERATION.

3. SUSANNAH BRAINEED (*Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. John Olmsted, b. 1677 in East Haddam, Conn., son of Samuel and Mary (Lord) Olmsted of the same place. He was a farmer in East Haddam. Mrs. Susannah (Brainerd) Olmsted d. Feb. 6, 1746, in her 57th year. Mr. John Olmsted d. July 10. or 15, 1771, in his 95th year.

Olmsted children:

- i. SARAH, bapt. June 15, 1707, in East Haddam, Conn.; m., Dec. 3, 1730, George Gates 2d. He d. Dec. 29, 1756. She d. Aug. 25, 1784. Ch.: 6.
 - ii. MARY, bapt. Oct. 23, 1709, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 8, 1764.
 - iii. DANIEL, bapt. Oct. 7, 1711, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Rebecca Spencer, dau. of Isaac Spencer.
 - iv. JOHN, bapt. May 30, 1714, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Abigail Cone, dau. of Stephen Cone.
 - v. JAMES, bapt. Oct. 7, 1716, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. June 18, 1763, Anna Cone, dau. of Stephen Cone.
 - vi. SUSANNAH, bapt. June 27, 1718, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Jonathan Gates, son of Joseph Gates.
 - vii. STEPHEN, bapt. Aug. 17, 1721, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Mary ———.
 - viii. ABIGAIL, bapt. Aug. 29, 1725, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. June 2, 1751, Elisha Cone, son of Stephen Cone.
 - ix. JONATHAN, bapt. Nov. 26, 1727, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Ruth Cone, dau. of Stephen Cone the third. She d. Dec. 2, 1797, in her 63d year. He d. April 2, 1817, in his 90th year.
 - x. NOADIAH, bapt. Sept. 10, 1732, in East Haddam, Conn.
 - xi. ZECHARIAH, bapt. Aug. 18, 1734, in East Haddam, Conn.
4. DANIEL³ BRAINERD (*Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Feb. 2, 1715, Hannah Selden, b. 1686, in Deerfield, Mass., dau. of Joseph and Rebecca (Church) Selden of Lyme, Conn. She joined Congregational Church in East Haddam Feb. 24, 1724-25. He joined the church June 12, 1726. He was a farmer in East Haddam. Mr. Daniel Brainerd d. Sept. 28,* 1728, ae. 38 yrs., and is buried in Hadlyme graveyard. After his death she m. (2), Dec. 3, 1730, Jonathan Chapman, and had four children. Mrs. Hannah (Selden) (Brainerd) Chapman d. March 17, 1742, ae. 56 yrs. He d. August 23, 1742.

Children:

- i. SUSANNAH, b. Nov. 27, 1716, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Feb. 4 or 10, 1726-27, in her 11th year.
- ii. HANNAH, b. Nov. 28, 1718, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Feb. 17, 1726, in her 9th year.

*Hartford probate records, Bk. 12, pp. 143-4, gives the date as Sept. 8, 1728.

10. iii. DANIEL, b. Feb. 24, 1720-21, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iv. MARY, b. Sept. 24, 1723, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Feb. 2, 1726.
- v. SUSANNAH, b. Aug. 9, 1726, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Sept. 14, 1751, in her 26th year.
11. vi. HANNAH, b. April 17, 1729, in East Haddam, Conn.

5. HANNAH³ BRAINERD (*Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Jan. 8, 1718-19, Joseph Gates, b. Dec. 28, 1695-96, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Hungerford) Gates of East Haddam. He was a farmer in East Haddam. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Gates d. March 20, 1744, ae. 49 yrs. Mr. Joseph Gates d. Nov. 1, 1770, ae. 75 yrs.

Gates children.

- i. HANNAH, b. Nov. 16, 1719, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Mr. Spencer, probably Ebenezer Spencer.
- ii. JOSEPH, b. March 28, 1722, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Dec. 4, 1746, Abigail Fuller. She d. Sept. 9, 1807, ae. 83 years. He d. April 17, 1808, ae. 86 yrs. Five ch.
- iii. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 12, 1724, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Jonah Cone, son of Daniel Cone.
- iv. BEZALEEL, b. Oct. 14, 1726, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Mary Brainerd.
- v. SUSANNAH, b. Nov. 24, 1730, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. May 25, 1742.
- vi. AARON, b. Oct. 20, 1733, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 14, 1740.
- vii. ANN, b. Oct. 20, 1733, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 18, 1740.
- viii. DAVID, b. April 18, 1738, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 12, 1740.

6. NOADIAH³ BRAINERD (*Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., June 4, 1724, Hannah Cone, bapt. Nov. 18, 1705, dau. of Jared and Elizabeth () Cone of East Haddam, Conn. She joined the church Nov. 7, 1725. He joined the church May 21, 1732, and was elected deacon of the Congregational Church in East Haddam April, 1743, which office he held until his death. Mrs. Hannah (Cone) Brainerd d. May 14, 1744, in her 38th year. He m. (2). 1745, Deborah (Dudley) Selden of Lyme, Conn., b. Nov. 15, 1701, dau. of Lieut. Joseph and Sarah (Pratt) Dudley of Guilford, Conn., and widow of Capt. or Dea. Samuel Selden of Lyme, Conn. He was representative to the General Assembly in the years 1742-43-45-46. He was a farmer in East Haddam. Dea. Noadiah Brainerd d. Sept. 30, 1746, ae. 49 yrs. Mrs. Deborah (Dudley) (Selden) Brainerd d. March 8, 1800, in her 99th yr., and was buried in the Marvin Cemetery in North Lyme, beside her first husband.

Children:

12. i. HANNAH, b. April 24, 1725, in East Haddam, Conn.
13. ii. MARY, b. April 27, 1727, in East Haddam, Conn.

- iii. NOAHIAH, b. March 10, 1729, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. March 31, 1750-51 (or d. March 31, 1741, by M. L. Roberts).
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 12, 1731, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1731-32.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 27, 1732-33, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. June 13, 1733.
- 14. vi. SYBIL, b. June 7, 1736, in East Haddam, Conn.
- 15. vii. JABED, b. Sept. 17, 1737, in East Haddam, Conn.

7. STEPHEN³ BRAINARD* (*Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Dec. 24, 1730, Susannah Gates, b. Sept. 21, 1705, in East Haddam, dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Hungerford) Gates of the same place. He was a farmer, and settled in the southwest district, in Westchester parish, in the town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn., on an elevation of ground just north of the line dividing the town of East Haddam from Colchester. His removal was then regarded as a removal into the country; all around was a dense forest, and the deer were then so plenty that they could be shot from their door. Tradition says his path from East Haddam to Westchester was marked by the blazing of trees. He cleared the land and made preparation for building a house, and when Saturday night came, sat down on a log and looked toward home and cried because he was so far from home. The following week, on Saturday night, he was to return to his father's home, about five miles distant, near East Haddam Landing. He was accompanied by two† others when he went into the wild and uninhabited country. The house he built was on the site where his grandson, Amaziah Brainard, afterwards built a house, and in which he lived during his lifetime. When an old man and several of his grandsons were going to Hamilton Co., N. Y., he wondered they could go so far from home. His descendants always spoke of him with the greatest respect, and the following incident will show him to be entitled to it: One night, when quite aged, several young men of somewhat convivial habits had assembled by the well which was near the corner of the house where he had his room, and hearing their loud talk as the glass was passed from one to the other, he arose from his bed, and opening the door said, "Gentlemen, I do not allow such talk around my house," then closed the door. Not another loud word was spoken, and the group quietly dispersed, it is hoped with wiser and better thoughts for mending their habits.

They were constituent members of the church in Westchester when it was formed, and probably before had belonged to the church in East Haddam. Mrs. Susannah (Gates)

* Died, Jan. 26, 1784. Caesar, negro servant to Stephen Brainard, æt. 66 years.

† Probably the two who accompanied him were his two future brothers-in-law, John and Jonathan Gates, who settled in Westchester, Conn.

Brainerd d. April 29, 1793, ae. nearly 88 yrs. She was the first person to be buried in the Southwest Cemetery in Westchester. All bodies before that time had been carried to East Haddam for interment, nearly six miles distant, on a bier, and borne on men's shoulders. Mr. Stephen Brainerd d. March 30, 1794, ae. 95 yrs.

Children:

16. i. SUSANNAH, b. Sept. 24 or 29, 1731, in Westchester, Conn.
17. ii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. or Dec. 17, 1733, in Westchester, Conn.
18. iii. HANNAH, b. Nov. 2, 1737, in Westchester, Conn.
19. iv. MARY, b. Feb. 15, 1739-40, in Westchester, Conn.
20. v. STEPHEN, b. March 24, 1741-42, in Westchester, Conn.
21. vi. SARAH, b. Apr. 30, 1744, in Westchester, Conn.
22. vii. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 27, 1746, in Westchester, Conn. By town records his birth was Aug. 16.

8. BEZALEEL³ BRAINERD* (*Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 30, 1727, Mary Gates,* b. Aug. 29, 1703, in East Haddam, Conn., dau. of Dea. Thomas and Hannah (Brainerd) Gates of the same place. She joined the church April 27, 1735. Mrs. Mary (Gates) Brainerd d. March 1, 1742, ae. 38 yrs. He m. (2), June 17, 1744, Elizabeth Warner, b. Oct. 17, 1721, in Sunderland, Mass., dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Adams) Warner, then of East Haddam, Conn. Mrs. Elizabeth (Warner) Brainerd d. Oct. 5, 1746, in her 25th yr. He m. (3), May 19, 1749, Phebe (Smith) Almany, b. May 16, 1720, in Eastham; Mass., dau. of Ralph and Mary (Mayo) Smith of East Hampton, formerly Chatham, Conn., and widow of George Almany, late of Eastham, Mass., who d. Jan., 1747-48.

As he took command of the East Haddam military company, his soldiers, wishing to honor him on his promotion, fired a salute, which, by an accidental discharge of the gun, wounded him in one of his legs, causing his death. He was a farmer, living about a mile north of East Haddam Landing. Capt. Bezaleel† Brainerd d. Oct. 9, 1749, in his 49th yr. He died while making his will and before he had signed it. The will was accepted and put on file in the Probate Office, and is now in Colchester, Conn., and his property distributed according to his will. His widow married John Marsh, formerly of Braintree, Suffolk Co., Mass., but then of East Haddam, Conn. She had two children by this marriage. Mrs. Phebe (Smith) (Almany) (Brainerd) Marsh d. Jan. 23, 1760, in her 40th yr.

Children by the first marriage:

- i. HANNAH, b. Aug. 26, 1728, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Sept. 29, 1736.

* The manuscript said he m. Hannah Gates.

† Colonial Records of Connecticut (1744-1740), Vol. IX, p. 387, Oct., 1748. This Assembly do establish and confirm Mr. Bazaleel Brainerd to be Captain of the south company or trainband in the town of East Haddam, and order that he be commissioned accordingly.

‡ This name is often spelled Bezaliel.

- ii. ESTHER, b. Oct. 21, 1729, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Dec. 19, 1736.
- iii. MARY, b. June 3, 1731, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Jan. 10, 1738-39.
- 23. iv. FRUIN, b. April 15, 1733, in East Haddam, Conn.
- v. SUSANNAH, b. Dec. 14, 1734, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Dec. 22, 1737.
- 24. vi. BEZALEEL, b. April 15, 1737, in East Haddam, Conn.
- vii. MARY, b. July 7, 1740, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 12, 1754.

Child by the second marriage:

- 25. viii. DANIEL, b. March 17, 1746, in East Haddam, Conn.

Child by the third marriage:

- 26. ix. ENOCH, b. Sept. 9, 1749, in East Haddam, Conn.

- 9. MARY² BRAINARD (*Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., July, 1728, William Olmsted, b. Nov. 21, 1705, in East Haddam, Conn., son of Samuel and Mary (Rowley) Olmsted of the same place. He was Sergeant in 1749, and afterwards Captain. Mrs. Mary (Brainerd) Olmsted d. April 16, 1742. He m. (2), Nov. 5, 1743, Anna Rowley, and had four children. He was a farmer in East Haddam. Capt. William Olmsted d. April 16, 1746.

Olmsted children:

- i. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 4, 1728, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. March 20, 1746, Mary Cone, dau. of Noadiah Cone. She d. Jan. 3, 1791. He d. Jan. 1, 1811, in Canaan, N. Y. Seven ch.
- ii. MARY, b. Oct. 1, 1729, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Aug. 29, 1746, Joseph Bates, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Spencer) Bates. She m. (2), Eleazer Brainerd. Ch. by the first marriage: Mary, b. Nov. 24, 1747.
- iii. SARAH, b. March 21, 1732-33, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Col. Jabez Chapman, b. 1731. She d. July 4, 1809, ae. 78 yrs. He d. Jan. 27, 1820, ae. 88 yrs. Nine ch.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 16, 1735, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Sept. 24, 1755, Sylvanus Tinker. She d. Oct. 2, 1773. Eight ch.
- v. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 13, 1737, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Esther Robards or Roberts of Cairo, N. Y.
- vi. DOROTHY, b. Feb. 9, 1741-42, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. April 14, 1743.

FOURTH GENERATION.

10. DANIEL⁴ BRAINERD, ESQ. (*Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., July 7, 1743, his cousin Hannah Gates, b. Oct. 23, 1723, dau. of Dea. Jeremiah and Sarah (Emmons) Gates of East Haddam, Conn. Mrs. Hannah (Gates) Brainerd d. May 5 or 6, 1746, in her 23d yr. He m. (2), Aug. 15, 1751, Esther Gates, b. July 27, 1727, dau. of Thomas and Dorothy (Cone) Gates of East Haddam, Conn. Mrs. Esther (Gates) Brainerd d. May 11, 1769, in her 42d yr. He m. (3), Prudence Gridley of Farmington, Conn. Mr. Daniel Brainerd d. Jan. 10, 1777, nearly 56 yrs. of age. His gravestone says: "A man distinguished for his public spirit and exemplary life." His widow married, Nov. 11, 1779, John Porter of Farmington, Conn. Mrs. Prudence (Gridley) (Brainerd) Porter d. June 8, 1811, in her 75th yr., and is buried in the Landing Cemetery at East Haddam, Conn.

He was judge of probate, justice of the peace, and town clerk 1769-77, and member of the semi-annual sessions of the legislature in May and October, 1760, and from May, 1765, to October, 1776, inclusive. He was a farmer. Judge Brainerd was known as the Butternut Lawyer from the ordinary color of his clothing.

From *The New London Gazette* of Jan. 17, 1777, the following is taken: "At East Haddam, on the 6th instant, Daniel Brainerd Esq. for a number of Years past one of the representatives of the Town, was suddenly struck with an apoplectic Disorder, which deprived him of his Reason, locked up his Senses, and put an end to his life last Friday morning Jan. 10, in the 55th year of his age. Without the help of a liberal Education, in early Life, by uncommon Application to Study, and a diligent Improvement of his Time, together with the Advantages of a Mind, naturally penetrating and Comprehensive, he had attained that Degree of Knowledge, which qualified him for public Business, and enabled him to sustain a variety of Offices with Honor to himself and Benefit to others. He was a man of great Integrity, slow and deliberate in forming his Judgment, he could not be turned aside from the purpose of his Duty, by any of the Arts of Dissimulation, Flattery or Corruption, his Stability of Mind and ardent Love for his Country, have manifested themselves for some Time past in his resolutely firm and unwearied Exertions for the public Good wherever his Influence extended and for raising effectual Opposition to the Power and violence of our Enemies; but the greatest and best Thing that can be said of him, is,

that he was as we have Reason to believe a good Christian and a faithful Servant of God, and that he has gone to inherit the Promises. The Society and Town where he lived has lost a great Bond of Union and Support of Authority, the Poor and Injured a Patron and Benefactor, and the church of God an example of Virtue and true Religion. 'Help Lord for the Godly Man ceaseth, and the Faithful fall from among the Children of Men'."

Child by the first marriage:

- i. DANIEL, b. March 10, 1744, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 15, 1755.

Children by the second marriage:

- ii. GIDEON, b. Dec. 2, 1752, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 25, 1775, at Roxbury, in Mass Bay, in his 23d yr. He enlisted in Gen. Spencer's Brigade in 1775, in Capt. Willy's Co. He d. of smallpox at 10 o'clock at night.
27. iii. DANIEL, b. June 13, 1755, in East Haddam, Conn.
28. iv. ESTHER, b. Aug. 7, 1757, in East Haddam, Conn.
29. v. JEREMIAH GATES, b. July 28, 1759, in East Haddam, Conn.
30. vi. HANNAH, b. Aug. 25, 1761, in East Haddam, Conn.
- vii. SUSANNAH, b. Feb. 1, 1766, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. May 9, 1769.

Children by the third marriage:

31. viii. SUSANNAH, b. June 21, 1772, in East Haddam, Conn.
32. ix. PRUDENCE, b. July 31, 1774, in East Haddam, Conn.
33. x. MARY, b. Sept. 1, 1776, in East Haddam, Conn.

11. HANNAH⁴ BRAINERD (*Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 9, 1749, Jabez Warner, b. Nov. 5, 1720, son of John and Mehitable (Chapman) (Richardson) Warner of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer living a little north of the East Haddam line near Hadlyme, Conn. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Warner d. in the fall of 1811, in her 82d year. Mr. Jabez Warner d. about Dec. 17, 1816, ae. 96 yrs.

Warner children:

- i. JABEZ, b. Aug. 19, 1750, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Dec. 25, 1786, Sarah Harvey. He d. Feb. 8, 1812, ae. 61 yrs.
- ii. SUSANNAH, b. April 9, 1753, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Joseph or James Banning.
- iii. HANNAH, b. Nov. 21, 1755, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Samuel Phelps.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. May 18, 1758, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Elijah Graves.
- v. SELDEN, b. Dec. 8, 1760, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. June 30, 1785, Betsey Brockway.
- vi. MEHETABLE, b. Aug. 31, 1763, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. James Ranney; 2d. Joseph Gates.
- vii. DANIEL, b. June 22, 1766, in East Haddam, Conn.
- viii. SARAH, b. March 6, 1769, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Sterling Clark. She d. July 5, 1855.
- ix. LUCINDA, b. March 29, 1773, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Richard Willis or Wyllys.

12. HANNAH⁴ BRAINERD (*Noadiah*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 26, 1744, William Selby, b. June 5, 1717, son of Jeremiah and Susannah (Dutton) Selby of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer in East Haddam. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Selby d. Feb. 1, 1748-49, in her 23d yr. He m. (2), Feb. 6, 1749-50, Dorothy Booge, and had six children. She d. April 6, 1764, ae. 87 yrs. He m. (3), Feb. 28, 1765, Anna Sparrow, probably widow of John Sparrow. Mr. William Selby d. June 6, 1804, ae. 87 yrs., and was buried in the Town Hill burying yard in East Haddam.

Selby children:

- i. JEREMIAH, b. Dec. 9, 1745, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Sarah Cone. Eight ch.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. July 23, 1747, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. and settled in Hartland, Conn.

13. MARY⁴ BRAINARD (*Noadiah*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Feb. 26, 1749, Bezaleel Gates, b. Oct. 14, 1726, in East Haddam, Conn., son of Joseph and Hannah (Brainerd) Gates of the same place. He was a farmer in East Haddam. He was called Ensign. Mrs. Mary (Brainerd) Gates d. Dec. 24, 1796, in her 70th yr. Mr. Bezaleel Gates d. March 28, 1802, in his 76th yr.

Gates children:

- i. HANNAH, b. May 24, 1750, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Jan. 10, 1827, ae. 75 yrs.
- ii. BEZALEEL, b. Oct. 2, 1751, in East Haddam, Conn. He m. Ann Ackley. He m. (2), Hannah or Helen Wilder. He d. Jan. 24, 1789. She m. (2), Seth Stanley, and settled in Geneva, N. Y., where she d. in 1824.
- iii. HARRIET,* bapt. May 22, 1753.
- iv. AARON, b. Aug. 31, 1753, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Elizabeth Johnson.
- v. MARY, b. Nov. 9, 1755, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Amasa Spencer.
- vi. HENRY, b. Sept. 30, 1757, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. of disease in the Revolutionary army about 1778.
- vii. SYBIL, b. March 3, 1760, in East Haddam, Conn.
- viii. NOADIAH BRAINERD, b. Dec. 18, 1761, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. May 24, 1823, ae. 61 yrs.
- ix. ESTHER, b. March 19, 1764, in East Haddam, Conn.
- x. OLIVER, bapt. April 27, 1766; m. May 4, 1786, Mary Gates.
- xi. HUDDAH, b. April 24, 1768, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 20, 1794, in her 27th yr.

14. SYBIL⁴ BRAINERD (*Noadiah*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 24, 1751, at East Haddam, Aaron Cleveland, b. June 30, 1730, in Canterbury, Conn., son of Benjamin and Anna (Church) Cleveland. Mrs. Sybil (Brainerd) Cleveland d. July 5, 1755, in her

* East Haddam Ch. Rec.

20th yr. He m. (2), Eunice Spencer of East Haddam, Sept. 4, 1755, and had seven children. He was engaged in trade with the West Indies. Capt. Aaron Cleveland d. about 1776, in Litchfield, Conn. He was Capt. of the militia at Millington Society, East Haddam.

Cleveland children :

- i. NOADIAH, b. Aug. 11, 1753, in Millington Soc., Conn.; probably d. young.
- ii. BRAINERD, bapt. Aug. 17, 1755, in Millington Soc., Conn. He was in the battle at Groton, Conn., and was run through by one of the British officers. He killed a British officer while his inwards were running out on the ground.

15. JARED⁴ BRAINERD (*Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., April 19, 1763, Sybil Bate, bapt. May 23, 1742, dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Spencer) Bate of East Haddam. She joined the church in Millington parish, a society in East Haddam, July 19, 1789. He was a farmer in Millington, Conn. Mr. Jared Brainerd d. Jan. 4, 1823, in his 84th yr. Mrs. Sybil (Bate) Brainerd d. July 13, 1826, in her 85th yr., in Millington, of old age.

Children :

34. i. HANNAH, b. Dec. 31, 1764, in Millington Soc., Conn.
 - ii. SYBIL, b. about 1767, in Millington Soc., Conn.; d. Nov. 7, 1815, ae. 48 yrs.
 35. iii. MARY, b. May 7, 1773-74, in Millington Soc., Conn.
 36. iv. SARAH, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.
 37. v. NOADIAH, b. about 1775, in Millington Soc., Conn.
 - vi. EPAPHRODITUS, b. March 4, 1777, in Millington Soc., Conn.; d. in the West Indies, Aug. 4, 1796, ae. 19 yrs.
 38. vii. DOROTHY, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.
 39. viii. JERUSHA, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.
16. SUSANNAH⁴ BRAINERD (*Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 13, 1754, Joseph Day, Jr., b. May 6, 1731, in Colchester, Conn., son of Joseph and Esther (Hungerford) Day of the same place. He was a farmer in Westchester Soc., Colchester. Mrs. Susannah (Brainerd) Day d. Oct. 22, 1817, in her 87th yr. Mr. Joseph Day, Jr., d. April 8, 1819, in his 88th yer.

Day children :

- i. SUSANNAH, b. Jan. 27, 1755, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; m. June 19, 1776, Elisha Kellogg.
- ii. JOSEPH, b. Aug. 2, 1756, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. Aug. 2, 1776, ae. 20 yrs.
- iii. RHODA, b. Aug. 2, 1756, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; m. John Staples.
- iv. ASENATH, b. April 2, 1759, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; m. Daniel Williams.

- v. ASA, b. Aug. 12, 1761, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; m. Apr. 25, 1790, Anna Marvin of Hebron, Conn. He d. Oct., 1841.
- vi. ESTHER, b. Oct. 1, 1763, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. April 6, 1829, ae. 66 yrs.
- vii. MARY, b. Oct. 14, 1765, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; m. Dec. 26, 1791, John Kellogg. She d. Dec. 10, 1848, ae. 82 yrs.
- viii. ELL, b. Nov. 12, 1768, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. Sept. 10, 1776, ae. 8 yrs.
- ix. JONATHAN, b. Jan. 6, 1772, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. Sept. 17, 1776.
- x. TALITHA, b. April 12, 1774, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. Oct. 17, 1775.
- xi. A son, b. Sept. 17, 1776, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. young.

17. ELIZABETH⁴ BRAINERD (*Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., April 27, 1758, Samuel Brown, b. August 17, 1729, son of Samuel and Mary (Dunham) Brown of East Hampton, Conn. He was a farmer in East Hampton, living near Comstock's Bridge, and near the dividing line of the towns of East Hampton and Colchester. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. Mr. Samuel Brown d. Jan. 11, 1795, in his 66th yr. Mrs. Elizabeth (Brainerd) Brown d. Nov. 29, 1812, in her 76th yr.

Brown children:

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 12, 1759, in East Hampton, Conn.; d. Jan. 22, 1830.
- ii. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 14, 1761, in East Hampton, Conn.; m. Oct. 13, 1783, Mary Kellogg. She d. Feb. 22, 1795-96. Four ch. He m. (2), Feb. or March 27, 1803, Sybil Cowdrey, widow of Loren Cowdrey. He was in the Revolutionary War. She d. Oct. 9, 1825, ae. 59 years. He d. April 8, 1833, ae. 72 yrs.
- iii. SUSANNAH, b. April 16, 1763, in East Hampton, Conn.; d. April 8, 1830.
- iv. MARY, b. April 8, 1767, in East Hampton, Conn.; d. Sept. 26, 1829.
- v. ENOS, b. March 26, 1769, in East Hampton, Conn.; m. June 1, 1796, Anna Williams. He d. Nov. 16 or 17, 1822 or 1823, in his 53d yr. She d. March 8, 1871, ae. 95 yrs.
- vi. ABNER, b. Oct. 6, 1775, in East Hampton, Conn.; d. Aug. 12, 1794.

18. HANNAH⁴ BRAINERD (*Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., May 4, 1758, by family records (by East Haddam records June 22, 1758), Bezaleel Brainerd, b. April 15, 1737, son of Bezaleel and Mary (Gates) Brainerd of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer, living in the Creek Row, a mile north of East Haddam Landing, on the homestead of his father. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Aug. 26, 1819, in her 82d yr. Mr. Bezaleel Brainerd d. Aug. 31, 1822, in his 86th yr.

Brainerd children:

- i. BEZALEEL, b. Jan. 24, 1759, in East Haddam, Conn.

- ii. AMAZIAH, b. May 16, 1761, in East Haddam, Conn. He was in the Revolutionary War, and after a hurried and protracted march was never heard from.
- iii. MARY, b. July 4, 1763, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iv. HANNAH, b. Aug. 13, 1765, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 27, 1776.
- v. DAVID S., b. July 29, 1767, in East Haddam, Conn.
- vi. LUCY, b. May 26, 1769, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 1, 1776.
- vii. URI, b. Aug. 18, 1771, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 4, 1776.
- viii. NEHEMIAS, b. May 14, 1774, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Sept. 27, 1776.

19. MARY¹ BRAINERD (*Stephen², Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Jan. 8, 1761, Daniel Bigelow, b. May 25, 1738, son of David and Editha (Day) Bigelow of Marlborough, Conn. He was a farmer in Marlborough. Mrs. Mary (Brainerd) Bigelow d. July 6, 1777, in her 38th yr. He m. (2), Sarah F. Ingraham. Mr. Daniel Bigelow d. Nov. 11, 1822, in his 85th yr. She d. Oct. 3, 1820, æt. 72 yrs. He had four children by the second marriage.

Bigelow children:

- i. STEPHEN, b. Jan. 18, 1762, in Marlborough, Conn.; m., Mch. 5, 1793, Deborah Gates Smith.
- ii. ZELOS, b. Aug. 17, 1764, in Marlborough, Conn.; m., Dec. 26, 1792, Deborah Foote of Colchester, Conn.
- iii. DANIEL, b. Oct. 22, 1766, in Marlborough, Conn.; res. New Hampshire.
- iv. ORIMEL, b. Oct. 19, 1768, in Marlborough, Conn.
- v. EXOCH, b. Nov. 15, 1770, in Marlborough, Conn.; d. Nov. 15, 1770.
- vi. EXOCH, b. in Marlborough, Conn.; d. Nov. 29, 1775.
- vii. EPAPHRODITUS, b. Aug. 14, 1775, in Marlborough, Conn.; d. Feb. 2, 1778.
- viii. MARY BRAINERD, b. June 11, 1777, in Marlborough, Conn.; d. Feb. 2, 1778.

20. STEPHEN¹ BRAINERD* (*Stephen², Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 31, 1765, Rachel Day, b. Nov. 22, 1746, dau. of Joseph and Esther (Hungerford) Day of Westchester Parish, town of Colchester. He was Capt. of a company of militia called to White Plains, N. Y., and to New London, Conn., in the Revolutionary War. He was a Continental Captain. He was a farmer, living in the town of Chatham, just over the line near the road which divided the town of Colchester from Chatham, but in the Society of Westchester. Mr. or Capt. Stephen Brainerd d. June 4,

* Records of the State of Connecticut (1776-1778). Vol. I, p. 137, Dec., 1776: "This Assembly do establish Stephen Brainerd to be Ensign of the fifth company or trainband in the 25th regiment in this State."

Page 432, Oct. 1777: "This Assembly do establish Stephen Brainerd to be Captain of the 5th company or trainband in the 25th regiment in this State."

or 26, 1820. Westchester church records say Dec. 9, 1820, in his 79th yr. Mrs. Rachel (Day) Brainerd d. July 14, 1839, in her 93d yr.

In the fall of 1776 he was drafted at Chatham, Conn., and served three months as Sergeant in a company commanded by Capt. Timothy Dutton, in Col. Dyer Throop's Regiment. At a town meeting held in Chatham, April 1, 1777, "voted that a Committee be appointed and Directed To Engage in Behalf of the Town To provide necessarys for the families of the Soldiers Belonging thereto who Shall Engage and Go into any of the Continental battallions To be raised in this State agreeable to the Recommendation of his Honour the Governor and Com,tee of Safety in a proclamation Issued Mch ye 18:1777." The Proclamation Issued by his Honorable Governor and Counsel of Safety on the 18th of March was Taken into Consideration and the following vote Passed Relative To the Matter Therein Contained Voted that there Should be a Committee Chosen and appointed in Each Parish of sd. Town To procure Said Necessarys above mentioned. In East Hampton Stephen Brainerd was one of the Committee appointed.

He also served at New London in the fall of 1777, not less than two months as Capt. He again served for two months as Capt. at New London in 1778. He again served for two months as Capt., in 1781, at New London. From Harkett's receipts in the Comptroller's office, Hartford, Conn., his name is found on page 107.

Oct. 4, 1779, for service at New London, the amount paid him was £509, 8s, 11d; specie value £24, 15s, 9d.

18th June, 1780. State of Connecticut To Town of Chatham, Dr.

To Supplying Capt. Brainerd's Comp'y With Provisions & Stores to March to Westpoint in an alarm. By Orders from Genl. Ward, For twenty days

To 800 wt of Bread at 24/	9. 12. 0
To One Barrel Pork	6. 0. 0
To One Beef Kin	2. 6. 0
To 10 Gal's Rum at 9/	4. 10. 0
To Man & Team to Carry Baggage & Stores for the Company 8 days at 9/	3. 12. 0
To the expenses of teams 8 days	2. 8. 0
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	29. 8. 0

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of Chatham, held Novem'r 14th A.D. 1780 for the purpose of Carrying Into Execution an act of the General assembly of the State of Connecticut at their Session in October Last intituled an (Act) for Clothing and Storeing a Quantity of provision for the use of the Continental army and the forces Raised for the Defence of the State.

"Voted further by this meeting To chuse a Committee agreeable To a Late act of the Assembly To ascertain the Number of Soldiers already in Service and also To Class the Town

if need be according to said act the Committee for the purpose are as follows (viz) Colo John Penfield Capt Joseph Blague Hezekiah Goodrich Doct Jerh Bradford Capt Daniel Brainerd Lieut David Smith Capt Elijah Cook Capt Bryan Parmelee and Capt Stephen Brainerd.

"Voted to Chuse and appoint a Comitee To Class the Town into Eight Classes agreeable To a Late Act of the General Assembly in order To Raise our Quoto of State Soldiers To Guard this State.

"The Comitee chosen and appointed are as follows (viz) Joseph Sage Ithemer Pelton Capt Daniel Stewart Capt: Elijah Smith Doct'r Jer:h Bradford Capt. Bryan Parmelee Lt James Bill and Stephen Brainerd. On December 16th 1782, David White, Noah Smith, Thomas Cooper, Josiah White, Joseph Pelton, Hezekiah Sears, Capt. Stephen Brainerd, Isaac Bevin, and Benjamin Smith were Chosen a Committee of Supplies for the year ensuing." — From the Middlesex County Book, pp. 184-185.

Children:

40. i. LEVI, b. Dec. 5, 1766, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 41. ii. STEPHEN, b. Feb. 22, or Feb. 23, 1769, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 42. iii. RACHEL, b. Dec. 23, 1770, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 - iv. DAVID, b. Oct. 5, 1772, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. Dec. 11, 1775, ae. 3 yrs.
 43. v. ELISHA, b. Oct. 3, 1774, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 44. vi. DAVID, b. July 2, 1776, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 45. vii. OLIVE, b. Sept. 18, 1778, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 - viii. MARY, b. Jan. 14, 1781, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. Dec. 31, 1863, ae. 83 yrs.; unm.
 46. ix. REUBEN, b. Sept. 24, 1782, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 47. x. CLARISSA A., b. Oct. 6, 1784, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
 48. xi. SARAH or SALLY, b. Sept. 13, 1786, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
21. SARAH¹ BRAINERD (*Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Feb. 4, 1762, Judah Lewis, b. March 27, 1737, or March 14, 1738-39, son of Rev. Judah and Mercy (Kellogg) Lewis, the first minister in charge of the Congregational Church in Westchester Parish. He was a farmer and lived in Westchester Soc., near the line dividing the town of Colchester from East Haddam, Conn. Mr. Judah Lewis d. July 4, 1790, in his 54th yr. She m. (2), Nov. 23, 1791, Col. Henry Champion, Jr., b. Jan. 19, 1723, in East Haddam, Conn., son of Col. Henry and Mehitable (Rowlee) Champion. She was his second wife. He was a farmer and a large landholder in Westchester Parish. Oct. 8, 1741, he was appointed Ensign of East Haddam South Co., at the age of 18 yrs. In 1758, he was elected Capt. In May, 1780, he resigned his commission. He was deacon from 1775 till he handed in his resignation. Col. Henry Champion, Jr., d. April 29, 1793, or July 24, 1797, at Westchester, Conn. Mrs. Sarah (Brainerd) (Lewis) Champion d. Jan. 19, 1818, in her 74th yr.

Lewis children:

- i. LYDIA, b. Aug. 1, 1762, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. April 19, 1778, James Maker Smith, b. Dec. 11, 1760, son of Capt. Elijah and Mary (Maker) Smith. He d. July 1, 1778. She m. (2), Noadiah Taylor of Middle Haddam, Conn. She d. Sept. 10, 1822, ae. 61 yrs. Four ch.
- ii. THEODOSIA, b. July 8, 1764, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Dec. 11, 1783, John Bates Olmsted of Millington, Conn., son of Capt. Ichabod and Dorothy (Bates) Olmsted. He d. April 30, 1819, ae. 59 yrs.
- iii. JUDAH, b. Aug. 22, 1766, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. July 2, 1797, Polly Olmsted of East Haddam, Conn., b. Feb. 24, 1771. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. April 13, or April 30, 1798, m. May 7, 1820, Robbins Tracy of Westchester, Conn. Judah Lewis d. April 18, 1847, in East Haddam, in his 81st yr. She d. Dec. 15, 1854, in Westchester, Conn. Both are buried in Bashan Yard, East Haddam, Conn.
- iv. BENJAMIN, b. Oct. 5, 1768, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Jan. 1, 1824, Polly Hall. He d. March 10, 1840, ae. 84 yrs.
- v. SARAH, b. Nov. 1, 1770, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Oct. 15, 1789, Gamaliel Ripley Tracy, son of Nehemiah and Susan (Smith) Tracy of East Haddam, Conn., formerly of Norwich, Conn. He was a farmer in Westchester, Conn. Ch.: 1. Susannah, b. July 14, 1790. 2. Tryphena, b. Oct. 27, 1791. 3. Jerusha, b. Oct. 24, 1793. 4. Gamaliel Ripley, b. Oct. 14, 1795. 5. Robbins, b. May 12, 1797; m. Mary Lewis, his cousin. He d. Sept. 12, 1853, in Westchester. She d. Feb. 26, 1875, in Stamford, Conn. They are buried in Westchester. Ch.: i. Judah Lewis, b. March 24, 1821, in Westchester, Conn.; m. May 7, 1842, Leura Elizabeth Palmer, dau. of Horace and Teresa (Fox) Palmer of East Haddam, Conn. Ch.: i. John Robbins, b. June 2, 1843; m. May 25, 1870, Mary Churchill Taylor, dau. of Charles and Adeline (Hyde) Taylor of Englewood, N. J.; no ch. ii. Mary Lewis, b. Oct. 29, 1846, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Oct. 12, 1865, James Scott Wetmore of Brooklyn, N. Y., son of David Woodhull and Harriett (Wetmore) Wetmore. Ch.: I. Mary Lucy, b. Jan. 2, 1867. II. Fannie Spencer, b. June 8, 1868; d. in Stamford, Conn., Aug. 8, 1876, and buried in Stamford. III. Judah Lewis, b. Nov. 27, 1869. 6. Ralph, b. Dec. 26, 1799. 7. Susanna Crowell, b. Oct. 20, 1803. 8. Nehemiah, b. July 9, 1805. 9. Julia Ann, b. July 2, 1810.
- vi. MARY, b. July 4, 1773, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. March 26, 1797, James Stranahan, b. May 12, 1772, son of James and Mary Stranahan of Plainfield, Conn. She d. April 25, 1830, ae. 56 yrs. He d. March 13, 1874, ae. 71 yrs., in East Haddam. Ch.: Several.

✓ 22. WILLIAM⁴ BRAINERD* (*Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 31, 1772, Lucy Day, b. May 14, 1752, in Colchester, Conn., dau. of Abraham and Irene (Foote) Day of the

* Records of the State of Connecticut (1776-1778), Vol. I, p. 432, Oct., 1777: "This Assembly do establish William Brainerd to be Ensign of the 5th company or trainband in the 25th regiment in this State."

(1665-1677), Vol. II, p. 459, Jan., 1780: "William Brainard is Ensign in the first regiment for the deffense of the state."

same place. He lived in the house where his grandson, the late Samuel N. Brainerd, lived for many years and which was pulled down a few years ago to erect another house on the same spot, in the Southwest district of Westchester, Conn. The house was built on a higher hill, a little east of where his father lived, and commanded an extensive prospect. He was a farmer. He was Capt. of the 5th Co. or Trainband in the 25th Regt. of Conn. His commission was given him by Jonathan Trumbull, Capt. General and Commander-in-Chief in and over the State of Conn. in America, Nov. 16, 1783. He was also Capt. in the 24th Regt. 1st Brigade, of which Eliphalet Bulkeley was Lient. Col., in the trainband. He was Ensign in Col. Wells' Regt. Two State Regt's, composed of detachments of militia, were raised in the spring of 1780 for service along the western coast. On Dec. 9, 1780, Col. Wells, at Horseneck, was attacked by the enemy and taken prisoner, together with 1 Capt., 2 Lieut's, 2 Ensigns, and 10 privates. They were minute men and volunteers. Capt. William Brainerd d. Jan. 26, 1820, in his 74th yr. Mrs. Lucy (Day) Brainerd d. May 20, 1823, in her 72d yr.

JONATHAN TRUMBULL, *Esquire*,

Captain-General, and Commander in Chief, of the
State of CONNECTICUT, in AMERICA.

To, WILLIAM BRAINARD Gent. GREETING.

You being by the General Assembly of this State accepted to be Ensign of the 5th Company or Trainband in the 25th Regiment of Militia in the State aforesd Reposing special Trust and Confidence, in your Fidelity, Courage, and good Conduct, I do, by Virtue of the Laws of this State, me thereunto enabling, appoint and empower you to take the said Company or Trainband into your Care and Charge, as their Ensign carefully and diligently to discharge that Trust; exercising your inferior Officers and Soldiers in the Use of their Arms, according to the Discipline of War; keeping them in good Order and Government; and commanding them to obey you as their Ensign for the Service of this State. And you are to observe all such Orders and Directions, as from Time to Time you shall receive, either from me, or from other your superior Officer, pursuant to the Trust hereby reposed in you.

[SEAL] *Given under my Hand, and the Seal of this State, in
Hartford, the 28th Day of October, Anno Domini, 1777.*

By His Honor's Command.

JON ; TRUMBULL.

GEORGE WYLLYS, *Sec'ry*.

JONATHAN TRUMBULL, *Esquire*,

Captain-General and Commander in Chief in and over the STATE of
CONNECTICUT, in AMERICA.

To WILLIAM BRAINERD Gent. GREETING.

You being by the General Assembly of this State accepted to be Captain of the 5th Company or Trainband in the 25th Regiment in this State reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Fidelity, Courage and good Conduct, I DO by Virtue of the Laws of this State, me thereunto enabling, appoint and empower you to take the said Company into your Care and Charge, as their Captain carefully and diligently to discharge that Office and Trust, exer-

JONATHAN TRUMBULL, Esquire,
 Captain-General, and Commander in Chief, of the
 State of CONNECTICUT, in AMERICA.

To, *William Winward* Gent. GREETING

YOU being by the General Assembly of this State accepted to be *Deputy of the State*
(being my co-adjutor in the 25th September of 1776 in the State of the State)

Trust and Confidence, in your Fidelity, Courage, and good Conduct, I do, by Virtue of the
 Law of this State, me thereto enabling, appoint and empower you to take as full *Company*
 as *your hand* into your Care and Charge, and to
 carefully and diligently to discharge that Trust & execute of your Interest
 Officers and Soldiers in the Use of their Arms, according to the Discipline or War
 them in good Order and Government, and commanding them to obey you as their *Company*
 for the Service of this State. And you are to observe all such Orders and Directions as shall
 Time to Time you shall receive, either from me, or from other your Superior Officers, in
 to the Trust hereby reposed in you.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of this State, in *August* 1777
 Day of *October* Anno Domini, 1777

By His Honor's Command,
George Mifflin Secy.

William Winward

J O N A T H A N T R U M B U L L, *Esquire*,
Captain-General and Commander in Chief in and over the STATE of

CONNECTICUT, in AMERICA.

To

William D. Brewster

GENT. GREETING.

Y O U being by the General Assembly of this State accepted to be *Captain*
of the 8th Connecticut Volunteer Infantry in 1878, organized in the Fall.
reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Fidelity, Courage and good Conduct, I D O by Virtue of the Laws of this State, me therunto enabling, appointed and empower you to take the said *Company* into your Care and Charge, *as their Captain* carefully and diligently to discharge that Office and Trust, exercising your inferior Officers and Soldiers in the Use of their Arms, according to the Rules and Discipline of War, ordained and established by the Laws of this State, keeping them in good Order and Government, and commanding them to obey you as their *Captain* and you are to observe all such Orders and Directions as from Time to Time you shall receive, either from me, or from other your Superior Officer, pursuant to the Trust hereby reposed in you.

G I V E N under my Hand, and the Public Seal of this State, at *Windsor*
the 16th Day of October A. D. 1783.

By His Excellency's Command,

George Wyllis
Secretary.

William D. Brewster

cifying your inferior Officers and Soldiers in the Use of their Arms, according to the Rules and Discipline of War, ordained and established by the Laws of this State, keeping them in good Order and Government, and commanding them to obey you as their Captain and you are to observe all such Orders and Directions as from Time to Time you shall receive, either from me, or from other your superior Officer, pursuant to the Trust hereby reposed in you.

[SEAL] *GIVEN under my Hand, and the Public Seal of this State, at Hartford, the 16th Day of May, A.D. 1783.*
By His Excellency's Command. JONTH; TRUMBULL.
GEORGE WYLLYS, Secretary.

Children:

49. i. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 23, 1773, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
50. ii. ELIJAH, b. March 23, 1775, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
51. iii. EZRA, b. Feb. 10, 1777, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
52. iv. LUCY, b. April 22, 1778, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
53. v. AMAZIAH, b. June 12, 1780, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
54. vi. IRENA, b. Aug. 12, 1782, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
55. vii. ORIN, b. June 11, 1784, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
- viii. HANNAH, b. May 5, 1786, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. May 5, 1786.
56. ix. SUSANNAH, b. May 1, 1788, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
- x. A child, b. June 7, 1790, in Westchester Soc., Conn.; d. June 7, 1790.
57. xi. ROXY, b. Feb. 23, 1792, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
58. xii. SARAH, b. Jan. 28, 1794, in Westchester Soc., Conn.
59. xiii. DOROTHY, b. Nov. 5, 1795, in Westchester Soc., Conn.

23. FRUIN⁴ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Had-dam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., April 25, 1754, Nehemiah Gates, b. April 17, 1730, in Westchester, Conn., son of John and Sarah (Fuller) Gates of Westchester. He was a farmer, living in Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, Conn. Jan. 25, 1757, he was an inhabitant of Middletown, Conn. He was deacon in the Congregational Church in Westchester, having been chosen Oct. 22, 1779. Deacon Nehemiah Gates d. Aug. 30, 1783, ae. 54 yrs. Mrs. Fruin (Brainerd) Gates d.

Gates children:

- i. MARY, b. March 22, 1755, in Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, Conn.; m. July 10, 1777, Col. Uriah Carrier of Westchester, Conn. She d., and he m. (2), Eunice Blish. He d. May 13, 1826, ae. 70 yrs. She d. May 1, 1856.
- ii. LOIS, b. Sept. 16, 1756, in Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, Conn.; m. April 1, 1776, Capt. Elijah Smith of Chatham, Conn. She was his third wife. She d. July 19, 1794. Ch.: 1. Elijah, bapt. May 2, 1779, in Westchester, Conn. He m. (1), May 31, 1759, Mary Maker. Ch.: i. James Maker, who m. Lydia Lewis, dau. of Judah and Sarah (Brainerd) Lewis. He m. (2), Deborah Gates, b. about 1750, dau. of Jonathan and Susannah (Olmsted) Gates.

24. BEZALEEL⁴ BRAINERD* (*Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 4, 1758, Hannah Brainerd, b. Nov. 2, 1737, dau. of Stephen and Susannah (Gates) Brainerd of Westchester Soc., Conn. He was a farmer, living in the Creek Row, a mile north of East Haddam Landing. He was Sergeant Major in 1785 and '86 in the 24th Regt., 1st Brigade, in the home militia, Lieut. Col. Eliphalet Bulkeley. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Aug. 26, 1819, ae. nearly 82 yrs. Mr. Bezaleel Brainerd d. Aug. 31, 1822, in his 86th yr.

Children:

60. i. BEZALEEL, b. Jan. 24, 1759, in East Haddam, Conn.
 - ii. AMAZIAH, b. May 16, 1761, in East Haddam, Conn. He went into the army and was never heard from. In Aug., 1778, a body of militia under Brig.-Gen. John Tyler served under Sullivan and engaged in the attempt to dislodge the British at Newport, R. I. He was present at the battle of Long Island, Aug. 29, 1778.
 61. iii. MARY, b. July 4, 1763, in East Haddam, Conn.
 - iv. HANNAH, b. Aug. 13, 1765, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 27, 1776, ae. 11 yrs.
 62. v. DARIUS, b. July 29, 1766-67, in East Haddam, Conn.
 - vi. LUCY, b. May 26, 1769, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 1, 1776, ae. 7 yrs.
 - vii. URI, b. Aug. 18, 1771, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 4, 1776, ae. 5 yrs.
 - viii. NEHEMIAH, b. March 18, 1774, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Sept. 27, 1776, ae. 2 yrs.
25. DANIEL⁴ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., April 16, 1768, Ann Marsh, b. May 15, 1748, in Quincy, Mass., dau. of John and Submit (Woodward) Marsh, who was son of John Marsh who was son of Alexander Marsh, all of Braintree, later called Quincy, Mass. Mrs. Ann (Marsh) Brainerd d. Jan. 31, 1772; by gravestone Dec. 31, 1771. He m. (2), Dec. 31, 1773, Dorcas (Dimmock) Gilbert, dau. of Samuel and Hannah (Davis) Dimmock, and widow of William Gilbert, to whom she was married April 26, 1768. She had two sons by her first marriage. Samuel Dimmick, or Dimmock, was son of Shubael and Tabitha (Lathrop) Dimmick. He was chosen clerk, at the town meeting in East Haddam, from 1769 to 1777, inclusive. He was a farmer. Mrs. Dorcas (Dimmock) (Gilbert) Brainerd d. Mr. Daniel Brainerd d.

* Colonial Records of Connecticut (1775-1776), Vol. XV, p. 340, May, 1776. "This Assembly do establish Bezaleel Brainerd to be Lieutenant of the 2d company or trainband in the 12th regiment in thin Colony."

Page 428, June, 1776: "This Assembly do appoint Bezaleel Brainerd to be 1st Lieutenant of the 1st company or trainband in said battalion (4th)."

Children by the first marriage:

- 63. i. ANNA MARSH, b. Feb. 7, 1770, or b. Feb. 6, 1769, in East Haddam, Conn., by record. She said the first date was correct.
- 64. ii. DANIEL ADAMS, b. Dec. 31, 1770 or 1771, in East Haddam, Conn.

Children by the second marriage:

- iii. ROBERT, b. about 1775, in East Haddam, Conn. The date of his death not known by his relatives. He died from home, and is supposed not to have been married.
 - 65. iv. SAMUEL DIMMICK, b. Dec. 26, 1777, in East Haddam, Conn.
 - v. DYER, b. about 1779, in East Haddam, Conn. He never married. He served on board of a ship, and was so severely punished that it caused his death.
26. ENOCH⁴ BRAINERD* (*Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Prudence Hungerford, b. dau. of Green and, probably, Elizabeth (Stewart) Hungerford of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer in East Haddam. He was commander of a cavalry company. Mrs. Prudence (Hungerford) Brainerd d. Feb. 7, 1790, in Millington Parish, East Haddam, æ. 38 yrs.; by record by D. D. Field, in her 40th yr. He m. (2), Esther Southward, b. dau. of Beriah and Southward of Lebanon, Conn. He was Capt. of the North Co., Millington, of the home militia in 1816. Capt. Enoch Brainerd d. April 12, 1796, in Millington, Conn., in his 47th yr. Mrs. Esther (Southward) Brainerd d.

Children by the first marriage:

- 66. i. PRUDENCE, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.
- 67. ii. PHEBE, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.
- 68. iii. AZUBAH, b. July 6, 1778, in Millington, Soc., Conn.
- 69. iv. ROXANNA, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.
- 70. v. HARRIET, b. March 6, 1787, in Millington Soc., Conn.
- vi. A child, b. Dec. 21, 1789, in Millington Soc., Conn.; d. Dec. 23 or 27, 1789.
- vii. ELIZABETH, d. in New Lebanon, N. Y.; unm.
- viii. REBECCA, d. in New Lebanon, N. Y.; unm.

Child by the second marriage:

- 71. ix. ENOCH S., b. April 2, 1796, in Lebanon, Conn.

* Colonial Records of Connecticut (1636-1665), Vol. I, p. 270, May, 1777: "This Assembly do establish Enoch Brainerd to be Ensign of the 7th company or trainband in the 25th regiment in this State."

† Colonial Records of Connecticut (1665-1677), Vol. II, p. 140, Oct., 1778: "This Assembly do establish Enoch Brainerd to be Lieutenant of the 13th company or trainband in the 25th regiment in this State."

FIFTH GENERATION.

27. DANIEL⁵ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., in Richmond, Mass., (Dimmis) Damaris (Fox) Chamberlain, b. May 13, 1757, in East Haddam, Conn., dau. of Daniel and Hannah (Burr) Fox, and widow of John, or Brown Chamberlain.

He served his country in the American Revolution, both on sea and land. He commanded a privateer, which was for a time successful, and it is supposed, from his share in prizes, he acquired considerable property. But at length he was taken by the British and confined on board of a prison ship in New York city, and subjected to indignity and abuse. He lost much property at one time and another and finally his all at New London, when that town was taken and partly burned by the infamous Benedict Arnold.

He lived in Richmond, Mass.; from there he moved to Chenango Co., N. Y., in 1788, and later to Canandaigua, N. Y., when there were only four log cabins in the place. He was poor and somewhat discouraged, but while able to labor sustained his family by farming and surveying lands. From Canandaigua he removed to Lower Sandusky, now Fremont, Ohio, about 1814.

Mrs. Damaris (Fox) (Chamberlain) Brainard d. May 26, 1826, æ. 69 yrs., in Fremont, Ohio. Mr. Daniel Brainard d. Dec. 31, 1837, in his 83d yr., in Fremont, Ohio, and in view of his services in the Revolution, he was buried with military honors.

Children:

72. i. DANIEL, b. Oct. 20, 1787, in Richmond, Mass.
73. ii. ESTHER or HESTER, b. 1791, in Canandaigua, N. Y.
74. iii. ELECTA, b. 1793, in Canandaigua, N. Y.
75. iv. JEREMIAH GATES, b. Aug. 27, 1796, in Canandaigua, N. Y.
- v. SELDEN, b. 1799, in Canandaigua, N. Y.; d. æ. 22 yrs., in consequence of a fall.

28. ESTHER⁵ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 8, 1781, Gurdon Collins Johnson, b. Feb. 2, 1759, in Killingworth, Conn., son of Samuel and Margery (Collins) Johnson of the same place. He lived in Guilford, Conn., in 1783, and after that moved to New York state, and thence to Vermont. Mr. Gurdon Collins Johnson d. Feb. 22, 1813. Mrs. Esther (Brainerd) Johnson d. at Dryden, N. Y., March 10, 1819, æ. 65 yrs. She was buried at Virgil, 12 miles distant, in the county of Cortland, N. Y.

Johnson children:

- i. CLARISSA FIDELIA, b. Jan. 5, 1782, in Guilford, Conn.
- ii. GURDON COLLINS, b. ———.
- iii. SAMUEL VAN VECHTEN, b. ———.
- iv. ESTHER BRAINERD, b. ———.
- v. DANIEL BRAINERD, b. ———.
- vi. STATYRA, b. ———.

29. JEREMIAH GATES⁵ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of New London, New London Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 10, 1783, Sarah Gardiner, b. March 10, 1767, dau. of John and Sarah (Palmer) Gardiner of New London, Conn.

“ He was at Roxbury at the battle of Bunker Hill, though but a lad of 16 years. He was on a height, where he could see the battle, and near him was a large body of American soldiers; among these was his brother Gideon, who beckoned to him and cautioned him to keep out of the range of the shots from the British ships of war. He was fitted for Yale College by Rev. Elijah Parsons, pastor of the church in East Haddam, and, while a member of that institution, distinguished himself as a scholar, particularly in the languages, being a successful candidate for the Berkeleian prize. He was graduated in 1779 as a B.A. and an M.A., and about that time received a Lieutenant’s commission, with a view of being an officer in one of the companies then proposed to be raised and constituted a part of the American army. For some reason the regiment was not raised, though the officers were commissioned. He held his commission about a year, and during a part of that time was employed principally in attending to the accounts of the Connecticut Line at the War Office, in Philadelphia; some part of the time he spent at West Point. He then resigned, and began the study of law with Gen. Dyer Throop in East Haddam. He settled in New London, and, besides attending to the duties of his profession, was honored with various civil offices. He was a justice of the peace from October, 1800 to 1829, inclusive. He was on the circuit court from 1802 to 1808, inclusive, and practicing attorney from 1780 during his life.

“ For several years he represented New London in the legislature and was once chosen clerk of the House. He was appointed judge of the Supreme Court in 1806 and Mayor of New London in 1805, both of which offices he held till 1829, when he resigned them in consequence of infirm health. His character was held in the highest estimation by his fellow citizens as a public man, and his domestic virtues adorned humanity. As a judge he was highly esteemed by the bench, and greatly respected by the bar. Stern integrity ever marked his conduct in his political and private life. His funeral obsequies were attended by the mayor, aldermen, and common council of the city, civil officers of the town, and a concourse of citizens, who will

long venerate his memory." — From *The New London Gazette* of Jan. 19, 1830.

He delivered an oration on the death of Washington in 1800. Mr. Jeremiah Gates Brainard d. Jan. 7, 1830, in his 71st yr.

Mrs. Sarah (Gardiner) Brainard d. June 13, 1830, æt. 63 yrs.

Children:

76. i. WILLIAM FOWLER, b. Sept. 21, 1784, in New London, Conn.
- ii. DYER THROOP, b. June 10, 1790, in New London, Conn.; unm.; d. Feb. 6, 1863. He graduated at Yale College in 1810, and was made a B.A. in 1810 and M.D. by his alma mater in 1826. He began the practice of physic in 1813 in New London, where he remained through life. He attended a course of medical lectures in N. Y. in the winter of 1819-1820. He was a surgeon of the Third Brigade in 1814, and continued in that capacity for many years. He was a member of the New London Medical Society from 1845 till his death. A Fellow from counties to the annual convention, from 1818-1842 inclusive. He was chosen director of the New London Bank in 1846, and continued many years as director. He was alderman, and judge of New London City Court in 1847.
- iii. LUCRETIA, b. April 19, 1792, in New London, Conn.; d. on her birthday, April 19, 1831, æt. 39 yrs.
- iv. JOHN GARDINER CAULKINS, b. Oct. 21, 1796, in New London, Conn. Until his entrance into college his time was spent under the roof of his father, the Hon. Jeremiah G. Brainard. Having finished his preparatory studies under the direction of an elder brother, he entered Yale College in 1811. His social qualities, equally with his gifts of intellect, drew forth the strong regards of his more particular acquaintance in college, and he met them with the smile and the repartee, with the playful jest and mimic fun, which are so easily tolerated in the gayer intercourse of friends, and which, in him never gave offense. The possession of these feelings was not, however, incompatible with a tinge of thoughtful and almost depressing pensiveness which was sometimes observed on his features.

Brainard graduated in 1815, B.A., and, returning to his native place, commenced the study of law in the office of his brother, William F. Brainard, Esq. On the completion of his professional course and admission to the bar he removed to the city of Middletown, with a view to the practice of law. This was in 1819; but in the earlier part of the year 1822 he engaged in the duties of an editor in the city of Hartford, his paper being a weekly, *The Connecticut Mirror*. His career in the profession he had chosen was therefore short.

With whatever gifts of intellect he was endowed, and however he might have excelled in the profession, had he applied all his powers to it, still it was not the calling he loved, and he had no disposition to make the desired application. Judging by the event he was destined to become eminent in another walk of life. The direction of Brainard's genius appeared in the poetic creations he was meditating during his residence in Middletown. These resulted in several of his smaller printed poems. He also prepared at the same period, several pieces for a literary paper conducted by Cornelius Tutthill, Esq., one of the earlier editors of *The Christian Spectator*. The paper was published at New Haven, and called *The Microscope*. The humorous story of Gabriel



John G. Brainard



JOHN GARDINER CAULKINS BRAINERD.

Gap in that publication was from the pen of Brainard, though he left it unfinished.

His literary career as an editor and as a writer of poetry was short, extending only to six years. It was, nevertheless, important to his own fame and to his country's intellectual wealth. He culled every variety of sweet that lay in his path, and looked on nature and man with the eye of a poet, and to subserve a poet's purposes.

Three years sufficed to furnish a small volume of the poetry thus contributed to *The Mirror*, or that remained by him unprinted. It was published early in the year 1825. It was accompanied by a very brief and unpretending introduction, and left to find its way by its own merits into the hearts and minds of his countrymen. The naïveté with which it was committed to their attention was answered by a generous and general approval of its contents.

Other fugitive pieces followed this volume, which, together with the former, were collected in a volume published in 1832 by Mr. Goodsell, with a sketch of the author's life by Mr. Whittier prefixed. In 1842 another edition of his poems was given the public, published in Hartford by Edward Hopkins, with a memoir of his life and poems inscribed to his memory from the pens of Whittier, Mrs. Sigourney, Snelling, and Dutton.

Early was our poet called to resign life into the hand of the Giver. His health had begun to decline previously to the spring of 1827, at which period he retired from his professional labors, though not with a design to relinquish them finally. He sought repose in his native town; but nothing could arrest the progress of his disease, which proved to be consumption. He lingered till the 26th of February, 1828, when he cheerfully departed to his rest, æt. 31 yrs., 4 mos., 5 dys.

The following is from an address of Rev. D. D. Field at the second centennial anniversary of Middletown, Conn.:

"While in Middletown he was an universal favorite, so sweet was his temper, so correct his taste, and so interesting his conversation. His fame arose especially from afterwards becoming the editor of *The Connecticut Mirror* at Hartford, and issuing in that periodical short pieces of prose and poetry. His conversion and his profession of religion were both remarkable, and, when he came to die, faith in Christ turned the shadows of death into the light of the morning."

The late William R. Cone, of Hartford, Conn., in his reminiscences of the Hartford Bar, November, 1861, sent the following article under the title "Old Days of Hartford, Conn." to one of the Hartford papers, which is inserted here:

J. G. C. BRAINARD, THE LAWYER POET.

J. G. C. Brainard, John Gardiner Caulkins Brainard, was reckoned among the Hartford lawyers in 1826. I did not know him; but afterwards heard so much of him from my partner, William Hungerford, who knew the whole family well, that I almost think of him as an early acquaintance. He was the son of Jeremiah G. Brainard, a judge of the Superior Court, and the brother of William F. Brainard, a lawyer with a successful practice in New London. Judge Brainard I have seen. He was a man of very diminutive stature. During his time on the bench much more form and ceremony was observed and more dignity given to all court proceedings and deference and respect shown to the judge than in these modern times. The judge was always accompanied from his lodgings to his seat on the bench

by the sheriff, who commanded the people in the court room, as they entered, to "make way for the court." The first opening of the superior court I ever witnessed was when Judge Brainard was holding court at New Haven. I heard the sheriff cry, "Make way for the court!" and expected to see some man of large proportions and dignified deportment enter as the embodiment of the court. But when this little, unpretentious man took his seat upon the bench as the court, the absurdity of the thing made it ridiculous. Judge Brainard, however, was an excellent judge and filled this office most creditably. John G. C. was a plain, ordinary-looking man, careless in his dress, and, like his father, small in stature, which was a source of great annoyance to him, and any allusion to his size greatly distressed and disturbed him. He was a universal favorite, and his society peculiarly fascinating in his gayest moments, and in his younger life, with his early friends, there was a sort of drollery about him and ready wit. This was also a marked feature in the character of his brother, Bill Brainard, as he was familiarly called, and with whom John studied his profession, and between whom there was an inseparable attachment which stuck out everywhere. It used to be said that Bill Brainard would, at any time, sooner lose a case than spoil a good joke. As a little sample: There is a maxim of law in Latin, "*facit per alium, facit per se*." In that day lawyers usually rode on horseback to court. Brainard and the other New London lawyers were on their way to court at Norwich in the winter—facing a cold, northeast storm of sleet and rain—and after enduring for a time the discomforts of the ride, he called to his lawyer friends to tell them it was an occasion when he had rather face it *per alium* (by another) than to face it *per se* (by himself).

THE SADNESS OF BRAINARD'S LIFE.

Early in life at times there came upon him from some cause a sadness which to some extent clouded his life. He was never a hard student, but indolent and procrastinating, never doing today what could be put off till tomorrow. He commenced his practice at Middletown, in 1819, but it was by no means congenial to his taste. He was sensitive to a fault, and could not endure the rough and tumble of life. He made no effort to secure business. His office door was always open to everybody except a client. As a lawyer he was a failure, and in this greatly disappointed his father, brother, and friends. In 1822 he came to Hartford, opened an office here, but had no law business. He in fact came to act as the editor of *The Connecticut Mirror*; but he did not make it a success. Notwithstanding his sensitiveness he loved society, had a host of friends, and not an enemy. His chief if not his only distinction was as a poet. His productions were hasty and unstudied, but had the quality of genuine poetry. "The Fall of Niagara," which has been said by such writers and poets as Whittier to be the most beautiful description of that fall ever written, was composed upon the spur of the moment for *The Connecticut Mirror*. Brainard had never seen Niagara. The printer's devil came to his office for copy for *The Mirror*, but he had none, and then while this messenger was waiting for him to furnish some he wrote these wonderfully beautiful and exquisite lines. Whittier, his friend, also wrote frequently without previous reflection and as the inspiration prompted. Standing with a friend

of mine, viewing the falls of the Passaic, as the water came on rushing and pouring over the cliff, and looking down the stream over the green meadow and beyond, where the river had regained its smoothness, both became absorbed in the beauty and grandeur of the scene. Whittier was asked for a description, and instantly wrote:

“The cloven rock and the rushing flood
Proclaim the tremendous power of God,
The verdant vale and the calm flowing river
Are the types of His kindness forever and ever.”

These two poets were great friends during their residence in Hartford, and Whittier, after the death of his friend, edited a volume of his poems. His “Machit Moodus,” the “Black Fox of Salmon River,” “The Shad Spirit,” and various other of his poems were suggested by the legends which were then current in the neighborhood when his grandfather lived on the neck of land between the Connecticut and Salmon Rivers. That whole region was full of romance, with which Brainard became very familiar from his frequent visits to his father's early home. In 1827 his health failed, consumption threatened him, he hoped for relief, and left Hartford never to return.

The following pieces were selected from Brainard's poems by his niece, Miss Mary G. Brainard of New London, Conn., as good examples of his genius and style:

FORT GRISWOLD, Sept. 6, 1781.

What seek ye here — ye desperate band?
Why on this rough and rocky land,
With sly and muffled oar?
Why in this red and bright array,
Stealing along the fisher's bay,
Pull ye your boats to shore?

Day broke upon that gentlest Sound,
Sequestered, that the sea has found
In its adventurous roam,
A halcyon surface — pure and deep,
And placid as an Infant's sleep
Cradled and rock'd at home.

What wakes the sleeper? Harm is near —
That strange rough whisper in his ear,
It is a murderer's breath;
A thousand bayonets are bright
Beneath the blessed morning's light,
Moving to blood and death.

Land ye and march — but bid farewell
To this lone Sound, its coming swell
May moan when none can save;
Many shall go and few return.
That rock shall be your only urn,
That sand your only grave.

Across the river's placid tide,
With steady stroke is seen to glide
A little vent'rous boat:
'Twas like the cloud Elijah saw,
Small as his hand, yet soon to draw
Its quiver'd lightnings out.

'Twas like that cloud, for in it went
 A heart to spend and to be spent
 Till the last drop was shed;
 'Twas like that cloud; it had a hand
 That o'er its lov'd, its native land
 A shadow broad has spread.

Ledyard! thy morning thought was brave,
 To fight, to conquer, and to save,
 Or fearlessly to die;
 Well did'st thou hold that feeling true —
 Did'st well that purpose bold pursue,
 Till death closed down thine eye.

I dare not tell in these poor rhymes
 That bloody tale of butchering times —
 'Tis too well known to all;
 I write not of the foeman's path,
 I write not of the battle's wrath,
 But of the Hero's fall.

He sleeps where many brave men sleep,
 Near Groton heights; and nibbling sheep
 Their grassy graves have found;
 But some, they are a few, are laid
 Beneath a little swarded glade
 On Fisher's Island Sound.

The Sound is peaceful now, as when
 It saw that arm'd array of men;
 And one old fisher there
 Gave me this tale — 'twas he who told
 The rough, the headlong, and the bold
 How their rash fight should fare.

He too is dead, and most are dead
 Who stood or fell, who fought or fled,
 On that September day.
 Old man! thy bones are gently laid
 Close by yon shatter'd oak tree's shade,
 Beside the fisher's bay.

THE FALL OF NIAGARA.

Labitur et labetur.

The thoughts are strange that crowd into my brain,
 While I look upward to thee. It would seem
 As if God pour'd thee from his "hollow hand,"
 And hung his bow upon thy awful front;
 And spoke in that loud voice, which seem'd to him
 Who dwelt in Patmos for his Saviour's sake,
 "The sound of many waters"; and had bade
 Thy flood to chronicle the ages back,
 And notch His cent'ries in the eternal rocks.

Deep called unto deep. And what are we,
 That hear the question of that voice sublime?
 Oh, what are all the notes that ever rung
 From war's vain trumpet, by thy thundering side!
 Yea, what is all the riot man can make
 In his short life to thy unceasing roar!
 And yet, bold babbler, what art thou to Him,
 Who drown'd a world, and heap'd the waters far
 Above its loftiest mountains? — a light wave,
 That breaks and whispers of its Maker's might.

"QUI TRANSTULIT SUSTINET."*

The warrior may twine round his temples the leaves
Of the Laurel that Victory throws him;
The Lover may smile as he joyously weaves
The Myrtle that beauty bestows him.
The Poet may gather his ivy, and gaze
On its evergreen honours enchanted;
But what are their ivies, their myrtles and bays,
To the vine that our forefathers planted?

Let France boast the lily — let Britain be vain
Of her thistles, and shamrocks, and roses;
Our shrubs and our blossoms sprout out from the main.
And our bold shore their beauty discloses.
With a home and a country, a soul and a God.
What freeman with terrors is haunted?
Bedecked with the dew drops and washed with the flood
Is the vine that our forefathers planted.

Then a health to the brave and the worthy that bore
The vine whose rich clusters o'ershade us;
They planted its root by the rocks of the shore.
And call'd down His blessing who made us.
And a health to the Fair who will raise up a brave
Generation of Yankees undaunted,
To nourish, to cherish, to honor and save
The vine that our forefathers planted.

STANZAS.

On the lake of young life is a fairy boat.
Like the sweet new moon in a summer sky:
Through a calm of brightness it seems to float.
And in light and beauty its course to ply.
As sudden as a cricket's spring
Its feathery paddles dip the seas.
As gaily as the hum-birds wing
Its sails arrest the scented breeze;
And pennons bright and streamers gay
Flutter above the diamond spray.
As the keel cuts its wimpling way.

A little boy — they call him Love —
With dimpled cheek and sunny brow.
And pinions like a nestling dove.
Sits laughing on the fairy prow.
And one as rosy bright as he,
Bearing his torch of purest light,
With more of joy and less of glee,
Trims the gay bark and shapes aright
The course, as they distance to weather and lee
The send of the sky and the foam of the sea.

Two forms are their lading, two hearts are their care.
And precious the charge that they joy to convey:
The young and the happy, the brave and the fair.
Have sped on their journey, how blithely away!
But as the moon, which shone but now
A silver streak of heavenly light,
With added glory on her brow
Now nobly walks the queen of night —

* Motto of the arms of Connecticut.

And firmly moves, though clouds arise,
 By storm and tempest fiercely driven,
 Shrouding the blue and starry skies,
 And darkening all the lights of heaven: —
 Thus sped the boat; each wale became
 Of strong and more enduring frame,
 And sternly to the sweeping blast
 Stood out the tall and gallant mast.

That boy has strength and courage high,
 And manhood lights with thought his eye;
 And he, the pilot, sits demure
 In dignity, serene, secure;
 Yes, all have left their brightness now,
 A brighter hope is on each brow;
 No fancied chart, of fairy bays
 And elfin isles, direct their ways —
 A heavenly guide sits kindly there,
 Directing the course of the brave and the fair,
 In yon blessed place be their anchor cast,
 And holy the haven they find at last.

30. HANNAH² BRAINARD (*Daniel³, Daniel³, Daniel³, Daniel³*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.: m., Aug. 31, 1780, Daniel Hurlbut White, b. July 16, 1757, son of Capt. Elijah and Abigail (Hurlbut) White of East Haddam, Conn. They moved to Granville, Washington Co., N. Y., about 1788. He was a silversmith. Mr. Daniel Hurlbut White d. Feb. 4, 1805, in his 48th yr. Mrs. Hannah (Brainard) White d. May 3, 1826, ae. 64 yrs., at Brutus, N. Y.

White children:

- i. GIDEON BRAINARD, b. Feb. 2, 1781, in Guilford, Conn.; d. Oct. 16, 1795, ae. 14 yrs., 8 mos., 14 ds., in Granville, N. Y.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 11, 1783, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Electa Evarts.
- iii. HOPE LORD, b. Aug. 10, 1786, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. (1), Oct. 12, 1806, John Walker. He d. about 1815, in Auburn, N. Y. She m. (2), in 1817, Aaron B. Sheldon, a farmer. He d. Feb. 18, 1826. She m. (3), in 1836, David Thomas, a farmer at Skaneateles, N. Y.
- iv. CARROL CASE, b. Feb. 25, 1789, in Granville, N. Y.; m. Feb. 7, 1811, his cousin, Esther Brainard Johnson, dau. of Gurdon Collins Johnson.
- v. FANNY, b. Sept. 24, 1790, in Granville, N. Y.; d. Jan. 4, 1796, ae. 5 yrs., 3 mos., 10 ds.
- vi. GIDEON, b. Oct. 6, 1794.
- vii. JEREMIAH GATES BRAINARD, b. Dec. 22, 1795, in Granville, N. Y.; m. Oct. 10, 1822, Lois A. Richardson, dau. of Ephraim and Lois (Porter) Richardson. Five ch.
- viii. FANNY FIDELIA, b. May 27, 1798, in Granville, N. Y.; m. Nov. 11, 1823, John Olmsted of Auburn, N. Y. He was a cabinet-maker. She d. Dec. 8, 1824, ae. 26 yrs., 6 mos., 11 ds. No ch.
- ix. HANNAH ADELIA, b. June 24, 1801, in Granville, N. Y.; m., March 27, 1826, David Bonta of Syracuse, N. Y. She d. Aug. 17, 1842, ae. 41 yrs., 1 mo., 23 ds. Ch.: 1. Derrick Hurlburt, b. Jan. 21, 1827. 2. Fidelia, b. July 24, 1829. 3. John Olmsted, b. Aug. 15, 1831. 4. Hope Ann, b. June 15, 1833. 5. Catharine Y., b. Aug. 27, 1835. 6. Margaret M., b. Dec. 1, 1839. 7. Mary S., b. Jan. 16, 1841.

31. SUSANNAH⁵ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 18, 1791, Timothy Gates, Jun., b. Sept. 20, 1763, in East Haddam, Conn., son of Timothy and Hannah (Percival) Gates of the same place. He succeeded his father in the office of town clerk and treasurer, and was reelected every year thereafter till his death. Mr. Timothy Gates d. April 4, or 11, 1814, in his 51st yr. Mrs. Susannah (Brainard) Gates d. Dec. 14, 1846, in her 75th yr.

Gates children:

- i. CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS, b. June 13, 1793, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Oct. 15, 1818, Julia Jennings Smith. He d. June 1, 1880.
- ii. MARIA, b. Feb. 15, 1796, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iii. SYLVESTER, b. July 7, 1798, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Jan. 15, 1839, his cousin, Sarah or Sally Gleason of Avon, Conn., b. Jan. 16, 1804, in Farmington, Conn., dau. of Ebenezer Steele and Prudence (Brainard) Gleason. He resided in East Haddam, on the homestead of his father and grandfather. He d. Oct. 19, 1863.
- iv. ALFRED, b. Feb. 7, 1802, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. March 29, 1832, Maria Swan. He d. June 20, 1863.
- v. PRUDENCE EMELINE, b. May 3, 1805, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Sept. 20, 1825, Edward Langdon of Plymouth.

32. PRUDENCE⁵ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., July 25, 1791, Ebenezer Steele Gleason, b. Dec. 6, 1767, son of Isaac and Mary (Smith) Gleason of Farmington, Conn., where he lived. Mr. Ebenezer Steele Gleason d. June 23, 1808. She m. (2), Sept. 29, 1816, Isaac Chapman, the husband of her sister, Mary Brainard, deceased, son of Isaac and Tabitha (Chapman) Chapman. She was dismissed from the church in East Haddam to the church in Avon, Conn., Dec. 25, 1828. Mrs. Prudence (Brainard) (Gleason) Chapman d. Nov. 17, 1860. Mr. Isaac Chapman d.

Gleason children by the first marriage:

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Aug. 9, 1792, in Farmington, Conn.
- ii. GEORGE BRAINERD, b. Aug. 20, 1794; m. Sept. 6, 1846, Anna Edwards, b. March 11, 1797. He was a broker at Buffalo, N. Y. He d. June 16, 1866, ae. 72 yrs.
- iii. MARY, b. May 15, 1796, in Farmington, Conn.; m. July 19, 1813, Frederick Deming, and lived in Litchfield, Conn.
- iv. ISAAC, b. July 12, 1798, in Farmington, Conn.; d. Nov. 15, 1815, ae. 17 yrs.
- v. DOLLY, b. Aug. 3, 1800, in Farmington, Conn.; d. Aug. 15, 1800.
- vi. SALLY, b. Aug. 3, 1800, in Farmington, Conn.; d. Aug. 15, 1800.
- vii. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 20, 1802, in Farmington, Conn.; d. Jan. 29, 1803.
- viii. SALLY, b. Jan. 12, 1804, in Farmington, Conn.; m. Jan. 15, 1839, Sylvester Gates, her cousin.
- ix. CHARLOTTE, b. June 2, 1806, in Farmington, Conn.; m. about Aug. 26, 1828, Richard W. Green. He lived in Brooklyn, N. Y.

- x. PRUDENCE, b. May 8, 1808, in Farmington, Conn.; d. July 10, 1810.

Chapman child by the second marriage:

- xi. A son, b. July 4, 1820; d. July 7, 1820, ae. 3 ds.

33. MARY⁵ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Sept. 27, 1801, Isaac Chapman, Jr., b. April 12, 1771, son of Isaac and Tabitha (Chapman) Chapman of East Haddam, Conn. Mrs. Mary (Brainard) Chapman d. Aug. 25, 1815, in her 39th yr. He m. (2), Sept. 29, 1816, Prudence (Brainard) Gleason of Farmington, Conn., his wife's sister, and widow of Ebenezer Steele Gleason. Mrs. Prudence (Brainard) (Gleason) Chapman d. Nov. 17, 1860, in her 81th yr. He lived in his last days with his son, Daniel B. Chapman, at Warsaw, Hancock Co., Ill. (See Chapman Genealogy.) Mr. Isaac Chapman d.

Chapman children:

- i. A child, b. ———; d. 1804.
- ii. ISAAC, b. Aug. 1, 1804, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Aug. 3, 1804.
- iii. DANIEL BRAINARD, b. June 2, 1807, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iv. MARY TABITHA, b. Feb. 3, 1810, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Aug. 31, 1835, George Washington Hawley, b. Jan. 6, 1806.

Chapman child by the second marriage:

- v. A son, b. July 4, 1820; d. July 7, 1820, ae. 3 ds.

34. HANNAH⁵ BRAINERD (*Jared⁴, Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., March 28, 1803, Benjamin Wickwire, b. 1762, son of James and Mary (Grant) Wickwire of Millington Society, East Haddam, Conn. His first wife was Sarah, who d. Oct. 6, 1794. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Wickwire d. July, 1839, in her 75th yr., being killed by lightning. Mr. Benjamin Wickwire d. Feb. 25, 1841, ae. 79 years.

No children.

35. MARY⁵ BRAINARD (*Jared⁴, Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Samuel Dickinson, b. ———. He was a native of Hadley, Mass., but lived in East Haddam at the time of his marriage. Mrs. Mary (Brainard) Dickinson d. May 6, or June 10, 1851, ae. 77 yrs. Mr. Samuel Dickinson d. March 28, 1855, ae. 79 yrs.

Dickinson children:

- i. EMILY, b. April 27, 1799, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. July 20, 1838.
- ii. EPAPHRODITUS, b. Jan., 1802, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. about 1827, Almira Attwood.

- iii. PHILINDA, b. April 7, 1805, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Austin Smith Shaler, son of Ezekiel and Lydia (Smith) Shaler. He d. Feb. 22, 1866. She d. Feb. 22, 1876, ae. 71 yrs. Ch.: Helen Frances, b. April 2, 1830; m. Martin L. Dickinson of Troy, N. Y., a native of Hadley, Mass. He d. April 27, 1866. Ch.: 1. Austin L. 2. Arthur. 3. Martin Elmer.
- iv. LAURESTON S., b. Aug. 11, 1807, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. May 19, 1830, ae. 23 yrs.

36. SARAH⁵ BRAINARD (*Jared⁴, Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., July 12, 1791, Gilbert Holmes, b. _____ son of _____ Mr. Gilbert Holmes d. Aug. 27, 1800. She m. (2), Nov. 17, 1814, Israel Cone, b. Dec. 21, 1749, son of Nathaniel and Mary (Graves) Cone of East Haddam, Conn. Mr. Israel Cone d. Nov. 4, 1825, in his 76th yr. Mrs. Sarah (Brainard) (Holmes) Cone d. May 7, 1838, ae. 67 yrs., at Vernon, Conn., to which place she had removed.

Holmes children by the first marriage:

- i. GILBERT, b. Dec. 19, 1791, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Mary Marsh.
- ii. NOADIAH, b. Dec. 14, 1793, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Deborah W. Denison of Saybrook, Conn.
- iii. SARAH, b. Aug. 8, 1796, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iv. MASON, b. Jan. 21, 1800, in East Haddam, Conn.

37. NOADIAH⁵ BRAINERD (*Jared⁴, Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., _____, dau. of _____ Sylvia Southworth, b. _____ Andrew Southworth of Chester, Conn. He lived in Haddam, Conn., Tylerville district. Mr. Noadiah Brainerd d. Jan. 26, 1847, ae. 72 yrs. Mrs. Sylvia (Southworth) Brainerd d. Nov. 23, 1846, ae. 76 yrs.

Children:

- i. DOROTHY, b. in Haddam, Conn.; d. in Cornwall, Conn.
- 77. ii. JOSEPH BATES, b. Oct. 16, 1802, in Haddam, Conn.
- iii. JARED, b. in Haddam, Conn.; d. Sept. 5, 1826, ae. 19 yrs.
- 78. iv. MARY ANNE, b. Nov. 18, 1810, in Haddam, Conn.
- v. SUSANNAH, b. in Haddam, Conn.; d. Oct. 12, 1822, ae. 10 yrs.

38. DOROTHY⁵ BRAINERD (*Jared⁴, Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Sept. 10, 1813, Nathaniel Emmons, bapt. April 21, 1771, son of Thomas and Huldah (Cone) Emmons of East Haddam. He was a farmer, in Millington Society, East Haddam. Mr. Nathaniel Emmons d. April 17, 1825, ae. 54 yrs. He hung himself. Mrs. Dorothy (Brainerd) Emmons d. Sept. 13, 1867, ae. 63 yrs. She was killed by lightning.

Emmons children:

- i. ELIPHALET, b. Sept. 12, 1815, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. March 25, 1838, Mary Swan, b. _____, dau. of Diodate Lord and

Mary (Cone) Swan of Millington, Conn. She d. Oct. 2, 1848, æ. 27 yrs. He d. Nov. 24, 1851, æ. 36 yrs. He weighed at one time 465 lbs., and was enormously corpulent. Ch.: 1. Nathaniel, b. ———; d. Jan. 28, 1845, æ. 2 yrs., 3 mos.

- ii. HULDAH ANN, b. April 7, 1817, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. Nov. 14, 1817.

39. JERUSHA⁷ BRAINERD (*Jared⁴, Noadiah³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Samuel Watson, b. ———, 1785, son of John and Huldah (Fox) Watson of Millington Society, East Haddam, Conn. She was a sister of Col. Moses and Capt. Aaron Fox. He was a farmer, in Millington Society, East Haddam. Mrs. Jerusha (Brainerd) Watson d. Feb. 1, 1860. Mr. Samuel Watson d. Feb. 11, 1871, æ. 88 yrs.

Watson children:

- i. HULDAH ANN, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.; m. Mr. Dunton.
 ii. HENRY WELLMAN, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.; m. Miss Wildman.
 iii. OLIVER WOLCOTT, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.; m. Sept. 6, 1844. Miss Newcomb. Ch.: 1. Gilbert N., b. Dec. 7, 1845. 2. Elizabeth E., b. Feb. 13, 1847. 3. Alvin B., b. Sept. 27, 1850. 4. Henry C., b. Oct. 7, 1855. 5. Frank W., b. Nov. 25, 1857. 6. Leverett O., b. Feb. 16, 1861; res. Cluterville, Butler Co., Iowa.
 iv. CATHERINE BRAINARD, b. in Millington Soc., Conn.; m. May 22, 1836, Hezekiah Selden Cone. Ch.: 5.

40. LEVI⁵ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Sarah Smith, b. Sept. 28, 1764, dau. of Thomas and Lydia (Foote) Smith, Jr., of Lyme, Conn. About 1829 they removed to East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y. He was a farmer. Mr. Levi Brainerd d. May 15, 1847, in Hamilton, N. Y., æ. 80 yrs., 5 mos., 10 ds. Mrs. Sarah (Smith) Brainerd d. Nov. 29, 1855, æ. 91 yrs., 2 mos., 1 d., at the same place.

Children:

79. i. GEORGE B., b. Sept. 20, 1795, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 80. ii. FREDERICK, b. Jan. 6, or Feb. 2 or 3, 1797, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 81. iii. LUCRETIA, b. Aug. 28, 1801, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 82. iv. EPHRAIM, b. Dec. 25, 1802, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 83. v. AMASA ORLANDO, b. Sept. 6, 1804, in East Hamilton, N. Y.

41. STEPHEN⁵ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 2, 1800, Olive Ackley, b. March 5, 1780, dau. of Samuel and Olive (Beebe) Ackley of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer in East Hamilton, N. Y. Mr. Stephen Brainerd d. March 15, 1853. Mrs. Olive (Ackley) Brainerd d. Feb. 4, 1854. They both died in East Hamilton, N. Y.

Child:

84. i. SAMUEL ACKLEY, b. May 10, 1807, in East Hamilton, N. Y.

42. RACHEL⁵ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 9, 1793, Elisha Fuller, b. Oct. 3, 1771, son of Elisha and Sarah (Sparrow) Fuller of Millington, Conn., who were m. Nov. 9, 1770, and he d. Aug. 7, 1778. Mrs. Rachel (Brainerd) Fuller d. Nov. 19, 1826. He was a farmer in East Hamilton, N. Y. He m. (2), May 1, 1821, Sally (Brainerd) Emmons, wid. of Brainerd Emmons, and dau. of William and Lucy (Day) Brainerd. Mr. Elisha Fuller d. April 3, 1845, æ. 74 yrs., 6 mos. Mrs. Sally (Brainerd) (Emmons) Fuller d. June 26, 1880, at Dexter, Mich.

Fuller children:

- i. LAURA, b. April 9, 1794, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. in 1812, Mr. L. E. Beach. She d. Jan. 2, 1829. The children live in Michigan.
- ii. ROXY, b. Jan. 30, 1796, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Oct. 6, 1821; unm.
- iii. DEBORAH, b. March 11, 1798, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. 1824, Silas Graham; res. Michigan. She d. Aug. 25, 1828.
- iv. SPARROW, b. Sept. 30, 1799, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. 1826, Electa Sexton. He d. Feb. 5, 1849. Four ch. A son and dau. live in Hamilton, N. Y.
- v. LORENZO, b. Feb. 2, 1806, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. April 14, 1830, Martha Haling, dau. of John and Mary Haling. He is a farmer in East Hamilton, N. Y. He d. May 17, 1871. Ch.: 1. Azubah, b. March 15, 1831; m. Jan. 8, 1860, Griffith Murphy. 2. Lucinda, b. Oct. 31, 1837. 3. Sophronia, b. Dec. 30, 1839.
- vi. EZRA NEWEL, b. Oct. 2, 1809, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. 1835, Louisa Yeomans, dau. of Moses and Lucinda (Prentice) Yeomans. He lived in North East, Erie Co., Penn. He d. Dec. 31, 1886, æ. 78 yrs. Ch. 1. Julia Delphine, b. Sept. 26, 1835; d. Feb. 19, 1845. 2. Sophia Yeomans, b. July 8, 1837; m. Nov., 1853, John Jacks; one dau. 3. Rachel Janette, b. March 11, 1840; m. Feb., 1866, G. W. Putt; she d. 1872; one dau. 4. Melvina, b. July, 1842; m. 1870, Simeon Royce; one son. 5. Elisha T., b. May 4, 1845; m. Elizabeth Franklin, in 1867; three ch. 6. Leander Sparrow, b. May, 1847; m. Betty Bennett, at Mo.; two dau.'s, b. in Mo.

43. ELISHA⁵ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., March 21, 1798, Anna Scoville, b. Nov. 24, 1780, dau. of Judah Scoville. He moved to East Hamilton, N. Y., and in 1817 removed to Gainesville, Genesee Co., now Wyoming Co., N. Y., on what is known as the Holland Purchase, and bought 360 acres of heavily timbered land, the larger portion of which is now owned by his descendants. A schoolhouse was built on this tract of land, which is now known as the Brainerd district.

He and his wife were members of the Presbyterian Church. He was a man of integrity and much respected by his family and neighbors. At the age of 85 he was sprightly, hale and hearty. They remained upon the old homestead till their death.

By his energy he subdued the forest and tilled the soil of the newly cleared land, till he had one of the finest farms in that town. Mr. Elisha Brainerd d. March 17, 1855, ae. 80 yrs., 5 mos., 14 ds. Mrs. Anna (Scoville) Brainerd d. July 16, 1855, ae. 80 yrs.

Children:

85. i. DAY, b. July 28, 1799, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
86. ii. ELISHA, b. July 14, 1801, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
87. iii. LUKE, b. Sept. 15, 1803, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
88. iv. STEPHEN, b. April 17, 1805, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
89. v. EZRA STYLES ELY, b. Feb. 26, 1807, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
90. vi. AUGUSTUS FERDINAND, b. Dec. 1, 1808, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- vii. MARY ANN, b. June 6, 1810, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. April 8, 1811, ae. 10 mos., 5 ds.
- viii. DOCTOR FRANKLIN, b. Feb. 29, 1812, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. June 10, 1834, ae. 22 yrs., 3 mos., 11 ds. He was poisoned by eating some bread made from flour into which some white lead had fallen by accident.
91. ix. WELLS, b. May 7, 1814, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
92. x. MARY ANN, b. Sept. 23, 1817, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
93. xi. JULIA ANN, b. March 14, 1819, in Gainesville, N. Y.
94. xii. PHILANDER, b. Feb. 2, 1821, in Gainesville, N. Y.

44. DAVID⁵ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. (by Elder Stacy of the Universalist Church), June 23, 1806, Micheal Terry Hale. He was a farmer in Hamilton, N. Y., and moved from thence to Clarendon, Mich. Mr. David Brainard d. Aug. 16, 1856. His funeral services were conducted by Elder Bela Fancher, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Micheal Terry (Hale) Brainard d. Nov. 20, 1857. Her funeral services were conducted by Elder Sabin of the Methodist Episcopal Church. They were both buried in the cemetery on Cook's Prairie, town of Clarendon, Mich.

Children:

95. i. ORVILLE HALE, b. Aug. 12, 1807, in Madison, N. Y.
96. ii. LUCY ANN BANCROFT, b. May 23, 1813, in East Windsor, Conn.
97. iii. DAVID DAY, b. Feb. 25, 1815, in East Windsor, Conn.
98. iv. CLARIA MARIA, b. March 15, 1818, in Hamilton, N. Y.
99. v. ORRIN WILLIAM, b. Oct. 7, 1819, in Hamilton, N. Y.
- vi. SARAH ANN, b. Nov. 19, 1823, in Frankfort, N. Y.; d. Sept. 3, 1885.
- vii. JOHN HALE, b. Dec. 16, 1827, in Utica, N. Y. He was a farmer, mason, wagon-maker, cooper, fiddler, tinker, fisherman, and hunter. He lived at Clarendon, Mich. He was in the late Civil War.

45. OLIVE⁵ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; married her cousin, Ezra Brainerd, son of William and Lucy (Day) Brainerd of Colchester, Conn. He was a farmer in East Hamilton, N. Y., moving there soon after marriage. Mr. Ezra Brainerd d. March 25, 1851, ae. 74 yrs., 1 mo., 15 ds. Mrs. Olive (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Jan. 5, 1867.

Brainerd children:

- i. OLIVER DAY, b. Aug. 28, 1799, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 - ii. OLIVE, b. Nov. 17, 1803, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 - iii. DOLLY, b. Feb. 20, 1805, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. March 21, 1805.
 - iv. WILLIAM A., b. Jan. 1, 1807, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. April 3, 1807.
 - v. EZRA AUSTIN, b. Sept. 20, 1809, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 - vi. DIODATE, b. April 27, 1812, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 - vii. AMAZIAH, b. July 9, 1814, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 - viii. MARIETTE, b. June 26, 1817, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Jan. 22, 1893; unm.
46. REUBEN⁵ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 10, 1812, his cousin, Roxy Brainerd, b. Feb. 23, 1792, dau. of William and Lucy (Day) Brainerd of Westchester Soc., Colchester, Conn. Mrs. Roxy (Brainerd) Brainerd d. March 11, 1824, ae. 33 yrs. He m. (2).[†] Nov., 1826, Ann Savage, b. Sept. 28, 1795, dau. of Luther and Prudence (Goodrich) Savage of Chatham, now Portland, Conn. He was a farmer in Westchester Soc., Chatham, Conn. Mr. Reuben Brainerd d. Nov. 18, 1859, ae. 77 yrs., 3 mos., 24 ds. Mrs. Ann (Savage) Brainerd d. Feb. 9, 1874, ae. 78 yrs., 6 mos., 11 ds.

Children by the first marriage:

100. i. STEPHEN DAY, b. Aug. 10, 1813, in Westchester, Conn.
- ii. DOLLY LUCRETIA, b. Sept. 9, 1817, in Westchester, Conn.; d. May 30, 1854, ae. 36 yrs.
- iii. A dau., b. Feb., 1819, in Westchester, Conn.; d. April 8, 1819, ae. 2 mos.
- iv. A child, b. in Westchester, Conn.; d. Jan., 1821.

Child by the second marriage:

- v. ABBY ANN, b. Dec. 8, 1827, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Aug. 1, 1880.

47. CLARISSA A.⁵ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 30, 1808, in East Haddam, Conn., William Lord, b. May, 1785, son of Ezekiel and Sarah (Lord)* Lord of the same place. He was a farmer and moved to

* Or Sarah Woodwell. Ezekiel's first wife was said to have been Lydia Lord.

East Hamilton, N. Y. Mrs. Clarissa A. (Brainard) Lord d. June 20, 1831, æ. 49 yrs., 10 mos., 14 ds. He m. (2), March 8, 1835, his wife's cousin, Lucy Day Brainerd, b. April 15, 1804, dau. of Daniel and Irena (Brainerd) Brainerd of East Hamilton, N. Y. Mr. William Lord d. Nov. 18, 1855 or '56. Mrs. Lucy Day (Brainerd) Lord d. April 17, 1891, æ. 87 yrs.

Lord children:

- i. **LYDIA MARIA**, b. Nov. 21, 1810, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 25, 1833, James H. Dunbar, b. March 15, 1811, son of David and Polly (Doane) Dunbar of Hubbardsville, Madison Co., N. Y., a farmer. He d. Aug. 29, 1870. Ch.: 1. Charlemagne Lord, b. Aug. 22, 1836; m. Aug. 22, 1865, Harriet M. Seymour, b. April 8, 1837, dau. of Alexis and Abigail (Green) Seymour. Ch.: i. Walter Seymour, b. Oct. 9, 1866. ii. Georgia May, b. July 24, 1871. 2. Betsey Clarissa, b. May 17, 1840; d. Feb. 10, 1841. 3. Georgiana Josephine, b. Nov. 21, 1842; m. Oct. 9, 1867, Almeron T. Nash, b. Nov. 21, 1845, son of Elijah and Lucina (Blanding) Nash of Hubbardsville, N. Y. She d. Dec. 22, 1875, æ. 33 yrs. 4. Rodolphe Doane, b. May 31, 1847; m. Jan., 1868, Kate M. Risley, b. 1848, dau. of Julius and Olive (Dix) Risley of Madison, N. Y. Ch.: Willie James, b. 1870; d. æ. 6 wks.
- ii. **ORIN BRAINERD**, b. Nov. 9, 1813, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Oct. 24, 1838, Palmyra Sheldon, b. 1815, dau. of John and Miriam Sheldon of Lebanon, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Sheldon De Forest, b. July 2, 1841; m. Feb. 14, 1861, Hannah Smith of Fabius, N. Y. He d. Dec. 7, 1891. Ch.: i. Freddie, b. Dec. 28, 1861; d. Jan. 9, 1862. ii. Lula, b. June 7, 1864; d. Jan. 7, 1866, and three other children.
- iii. **GEORGE**, b. March 17, 1815, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Oct. 23, 1840, Calphurnia Delphia Fay, b. Feb. 24, 1820, in Hamilton, N. Y., dau. of James Robinson and Marilla (Nash) Fay. He lives at Bay City, Mich. Ch.: 1. Frederick H., b. Dec. 12, 1849, in Oneida, N. Y. 2. William, b. Aug. 14, 1852. 3. George H., b. Aug. 21, 1855; d. an infant in Bay City, Mich. 4. Jessie Benton, b. Sept. 23, 1858; m. 1890, Henry Waller Jennison of Bay City, Mich., where they reside.
- iv. **LOUISA FREDERICK**, b. Nov. 20, 1820, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Lyman O. Preston, son of Lewis and Susan (Snow) Preston of Poolville, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Norval DeAlton, b. Nov. 7, 1844; d. Oct. 23, 1864, at Caledonia, Livingston Co., N. Y. 2. William DeElwyn, b. Oct. 10, 1846; d. Feb. 9, 1860, at Avon, Livingston Co., N. Y.

48. **SARAH⁵**, or **SALLY**, **BRAINERD** (*Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., about 1809, Orin Brainerd, her cousin, son of William and Lucy (Day) Brainerd of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer, living in Poolville, a society in East Hamilton, N. Y. Mrs. Sarah (Brainerd) Brainerd d. March 19, 1858, æ. 71 yrs., 8 mos., 6 ds. Mr. Orin Brainerd d. June 5, 1865, æ. 80 yrs., 11 mos., 26 ds.

No children.



PATIENCE (FOOTE) BRAINERD.

49. WILLIAM⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 31, 1799, Patience Foote, b. Feb. 1, 1783, dau. of Nathaniel and Patience (Skinner) Foote of Westchester, Conn. He was appointed Capt. of the home militia, and was surveyor and collector from 1806 to 1822, inclusive. He was a farmer at Westchester. Capt. William Brainerd d. March 18, 1844, ae. 70 yrs., 6 mos., 25 ds. Mrs. Patience (Foote) Brainerd d. June 19, 1859, ae. 76 yrs., 4 mos., 18 ds.

Children:

101. i. JERUSHA, b. Aug. 31, 1800, in Westchester, Conn.
102. ii. NATHANIEL FOOTE, b. Aug. 20, 1802, in Westchester, Conn.
103. iii. LUCY DAY, b. Nov. 4, 1804, in Westchester, Conn.
104. iv. ABIGAIL LUCINDA, b. Sept. 27, 1807, in Westchester, Conn.
105. v. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 23, 1810, in Westchester, Conn.
106. vi. MARGARET FOOTE, b. July 6, 1812, in Westchester, Conn.; d. April 11, 1860, ae. 48 yrs. She was a devout Christian, and left a large circle of friends to mourn her departure. Her loss was felt throughout the whole of the little community in which she resided. She had suffered long and patiently, when death came to her relief.
107. vii. CLARISSA LOOMIS, b. July 19, 1814, in Westchester, Conn.
108. viii. ASA, b. Dec. 24, 1816, in Westchester, Conn.
109. ix. HARRIET ATWOOD, b. Sept. 23, 1819, in Westchester, Conn.
110. x. SAMUEL NEWELL, b. April 14, 1822, in Westchester, Conn.
111. xi. ROXY MEROA, or ROXANA MEROA, b. March 23, 1824, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Sept. 23, 1848, ae. 24 yrs. She was lovely in spirit, mild and sweet in disposition, of a genial temperament, and beloved by all. Her untimely death caused universal sorrow among her relatives and friends, by whom she was long mourned.

50. ELIJAH⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 28, 1797, Eunice Fuller, bapt. Dec. 5, 1779, dau. of Elisha and Sarah (Sparrow) Fuller of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer in Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y. Mrs. Eunice (Fuller) Brainerd d. June 20, 1842, ae. 66 yrs. Mr. Elijah Brainerd d. Feb. 14, 1843, ae. 67 yrs., 10 mos., 21 ds.

Children:

110. i. SARAH S., b. Jan. 3, 1806, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
111. ii. WILLIAM G., b. May 7, 1808, in Poolville, N. Y.
112. iii. ELIJAH, b. Oct. 3, 1810, in Poolville, N. Y.
- iv. OGDEN, b. March 28, 1813, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. April 8, 1813.
- v. OGDEN ALPHONZO, b. July 24, 1815, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. March 16, 1816.

51. EZRA⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m. (by Esq. Brainerd, her cousin), Olive Brainerd,

b. Sept. 18, 1778, or 1779, dau. of Stephen and Rachel (Day) Brainerd of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer at East Hamilton, N. Y. Mr. Ezra Brainerd d. March 25, 1851, ae. 74 yrs., 15 ds. Mrs. Olive (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Jan. 5, 1867, ae. 88 yrs., 5 mos., 25 ds.

Children:

113. i. OLIVER DAY, b. Aug. 28, 1799, in Westchester, Conn.
114. ii. OLIVE, b. Nov. 17, 1803, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- iii. DOLLY, b. Feb. 20, 1805, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. March 21, 1805.
- iv. WILLIAM A., b. Jan. 1, 1807, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. April 3, 1807.
115. v. EZRA AUSTIN, b. Sept. 20, 1809, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
116. vi. DIODATE, b. April 27, 1812, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
117. vii. AMAZIAH, b. July 9, 1814, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- viii. MARIETTE, b. June 26, 1817, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Jan. 22, 1893; unm.

52. LUCY⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., about 1797, Robert Usher, b. Dec. 14, 1772, son of Dr. Robert and Susannah (Gates) Usher of Westchester, town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn. Susannah Gates was dau. of Dea. Jonathan and Susannah (Olmsted) Gates, both of Westchester, Conn., and of direct descent from Thomas and Hannah (Brainerd) Gates. He was a farmer and hop grower at East Hamilton, N. Y. Mr. Robert Usher d. Sept. 27, or 29, 1851, ae. 85 yrs., 9 mos., 13 ds. Mrs. Lucy (Brainerd) Usher d. Aug. 31, 1864, ae. 86 yrs., 4 mos., 7 ds.

Usher children:

- i. NEWELL F., b. March 31, 1798, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Oct. 17, 1821. Anne Ischam, dau. of Chauncey and Fanny Ischam. She d. 1846. He m. (2), Feb. 25, 1847, Fanny Smith. Soon after his first marriage he settled in Sheridan, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., where he continued to reside. He d. March, 1870. She d. May, 1875. Ten ch. by first marriage.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 5, 1799, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Rosette Foote, b. Feb. 14, 1797, dau. of Jesse and Mary (Skinner) Foote of Colchester, Conn. He d. Feb. 5, 1875, in Colchester, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Cordelia R., b. Jan. 4, 1827; unm.; lives in Hamilton, N. Y. 2. Devereaux William, b. Dec. 18, 1830; m. Jan. 23, 1861. Fidelia Kinney, b. Nov., 1840, dau. of Edwin and Lucinda (Hubbard) Kinney. She d. Oct. 5, 1890, ae. nearly 50 yrs. He m. (2), Dec. 16, 1891, Miss Rose Howe, dau. of Stillman and (Colson) Howe. He d. Feb. 26, 1901. Ch.: i. William D., b. Oct. 28, 1866. 3. Ambrosia, b. ———; d. in infancy.
- iii. HORACE, b. Nov. 22, 1801, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 28, 1830. Olive Brainerd, dau. of Ezra and Olive (Brainerd) Brainerd, his cousin.
- iv. ALMIRA, b. Jan. 7, 1810, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Aug., 1840, Ira Sherman. He was a stonecutter. She d. July 30, 1851. No ch.
- v. ROBERT ROBBINS, b. Dec. 31, 1811, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Oct. 7, 1839, Ursula Felton, dau. of Robards and Martha (Stacy) Felton. He was a farmer and hop grower



LUCY (BRAINERD) USHER.



HULDAH (FOOTE) BRAINERD.

in East Hamilton, N. Y. He d. Nov. 7, 1890. She d. Sept. 23, 1891. Ch.: Two sons, b. ———; d. at birth. 3. Martha Staey, b. Aug. 28, 1854; d. Oct. 31, 1855, in Westchester, Conn., while her parents were on a visit at that place.

53. AMAZIAH⁵ BRAINARD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m. (by Jacob Scales, pastor of Second Congregational Church in Colchester), March 29, 1824, Huldah Foote, b. Dec. 4, 1791, dau. of Nathaniel and Abigail (Foote) Foote of Westchester, Conn. His life was spent in his native town, Colchester, Westchester Soc. In his earlier years he taught school for several seasons with success; later he occupied many positions of honor and trust. He was acting justice of the peace from 1828 to 1835, inclusive, and in 1839. He represented his town in the legislature during the sessions of 1829 and 1830 with much credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituents. Being often called upon to settle local differences among his townsmen, he managed them with so much tact that he got the title among his neighbors of being the peace maker. He was a man of large and commanding figure, being six feet and one inch in height and correspondingly heavy. Possessing more than an ordinary degree of intelligence and of strict integrity, he enjoyed the honor and respect of his associates during life and was lamented at death. He was a farmer, having built his house at the time of his marriage on the site where his grandfather built when he settled in the Southwest district, Westchester Society. She was a teacher many seasons, having taught one summer at Cold Spring, Long Island. She was of a quiet and gentle disposition, social and pleasing in her manners, and much respected and beloved by her relatives and friends. If the poor needed a helper or friend, she was ever ready to sympathize with them and to render such aid as time and strength would permit her to do. The following words of King Lemuel in Proverbs, Chapter 31, are applicable to her: "She layeth her hands to the spindle, and her hands hold the distaff. She stretcheth out her hands to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy. She openeth her mouth with wisdom: and in her tongue is the law of kindness. She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness." She was blind the eight last years of her life. Mr. Amaziah Brainard d. April 1, 1841, ae. 60 yrs., 9 mos., 19 ds. Mrs. Huldah (Foote) Brainard* d. at Hartford, Conn., Aug. 9, 1881, ae. 89 yrs., 8 mos., 5 ds. She was buried in the cemetery in the Southwest district in Westchester, Conn., by the side of her husband.

* The marking on her headstone is wrong. It makes her one year too young.

Children:

118. i. LEVERETT, b. Feb. 13, 1828, in Westchester, Conn.
- ii. ALBERT, b. June 26, 1832, in Westchester, Conn. In his early life he worked on the farm, which had been in the Brainard family for three previous generations, attending school winters and farming during the summer months. His schooling was finished at the State Normal School at New Britain, Conn. He spent two winters teaching a district school, while not neglecting his farming interests. In 1860 the farm was sold, and he came to Hartford, engaging in the grocery business on Asylum St., where Hills & Co. are (1902), under the firm name of Brainard & Bulkeley, Mr. Frank Bulkeley being the other partner. About 1864 the partnership was dissolved and the business discontinued. He then became part owner in the Hartford Paper Company, whose mills are located in Poquonnock and Rainbow, with an office in the building of The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company in Hartford, Conn. He was a member of the Veteran Association of the Hartford City Guard. He joined the active company in Sept., 1862, and was on duty with the company when they were guarding the State Arsenal during the Civil War. He was a quiet, industrious, and respected citizen, leaving many friends to mourn his untimely death. Mr. Albert Brainard d. June 16, 1878, lacking ten days of being 46 yrs. of age; unm.
- iii. LUCY ABIGAIL, b. June 26, 1832, in Westchester, Conn. She was five years a schoolteacher, and since then has had charge of the house, and during much of that time the otherwise unoccupied moments have been devoted to the preparation of the Brainerd-Brainard Genealogy, comprising all the descendants of the emigrant Daniel Brainerd, which work is now completed; unm. She is registrar of the Connecticut Chapter of the Daughters of the Founders and Patriots of America (1907).

54. IRENA² BRAINERD (*William¹, Stephen², Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m. Daniel Adams Brainerd, son of Daniel and Ann (Marsh) Brainerd of East Haddam, Conn. He moved to East Hamilton, N. Y., and was a farmer. He also engaged in teaching, receiving in payment for his services the sum of six dollars and two-thirds of a dollar per month. Mrs. Irena (Brainerd) Brainerd d. May 10, 1821, ae. 38 yrs., 8 mos., 28 ds. Mrs. Daniel Adams Brainerd d. Oct. 28, 1831, ae. 61 yrs.

Brainerd children:

- i. LUCY DAY, b. April 15, 1804, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- ii. ANNE M., b. Aug. 23, 1806, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. June 20, 1808.
- iii. DANIEL ADAMS, b. Sept. 17, 1808, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- iv. IRA, b. Aug. 24, 1810, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- v. EDMUND L., b. Aug. 16, 1812, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. April 5, 1813.
- vi. ANNE, b. Jan. 24, 1814, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. June 17, 1892.
- vii. ERASTE MARIA, b. Feb. 15, 1816, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. March 1, 1890.
- viii. CLARISSA, b. July 7, 1818, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Sept. 14, 1818.



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55. ORIN⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester. New London Co., Conn.; m., about 1809, Sarah Brainerd, b. Sept. 13, 1786, dau. of Stephen and Rachel (Day) Brainerd of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham. He was a farmer at Poolville, N. Y. Mrs. Sarah (Brainerd) Brainerd d. March 19, 1858. Mr. Orin Brainerd d. June 5, 1865, ae. 81 yrs.

No children.

56. SUSANNAH⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 8, 1808, Joseph Staples, b. April 23, 1784, son of John and Rhoda (Day) Staples of Westchester, Conn. He was justice of the peace for eight years or more, and represented his town in the State Legislature in May, 1841. He was chosen Capt. of the 20th Regt. and 2d Brigade in 1817. He was a farmer in Westchester, Conn. He owned the farm which was given to the Westchester Soc. by David Day and which was leased by him for 999 years from the society. Mrs. Susannah (Brainerd) Staples d. April 21, 1848, ae. 59 yrs., 11 mos., 20 ds. Capt. Joseph Staples d. Aug. 13, 1856, ae. 72 yrs., 3 mos., 22 ds.

Staples children:

- i. RHODA DAY, b. Nov. 18, 1809, in Westchester, Conn.; m. May 4, 1853, her cousin, William Brainerd.
- ii. LUCY BRAINERD, b. May 24, 1811, in Westchester, Conn.; m. March 25, 1834, her cousin, Nathaniel Foote Brainerd.
- iii. SALLY MARIA, b. Jan. 25, 1813, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Sept. 24, 1831, ae. 18 yrs.
- iv. JOHN BRAINERD, b. July 22, 1814, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Dec. 16, 1855, Lucretia Bigelow, dau. of Guy and Nancy (Hurd) Bigelow of Colchester, Conn. He was justice of the peace in 1857 and 1858. He was chosen Lieut. in 1841 and Capt. in 1842 and 1843. He d. Aug. 11, 1856. Ch.: 1. A son, b. ———.
- v. SUSANNAH, b. May 4, 1816, in Westchester, Conn.; m. March 13, 1861, Timothy Allen Avery. He enlisted in the Civil War, and d. Sept. 21, 1863, at sea, 40 miles south of Cape Henry, on his way back from service. He was a farmer in Lebanon, Conn. She m. (2), 1867, Job Card. She was a tailoress before marriage. She d. June 22, 1883, ae. 67 yrs. She was stricken with paralysis about two yrs. before her death and for the last eight months was entirely helpless. No children.
- vi. DOLLY IRENE, b. July 15, 1821, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Sept. 17, 1831, ae. 10 yrs., 2 mos., 2 ds.
- vii. ROXY ELIZA, b. Dec. 15, 1824, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Sept. 15, 1861, Demas Carrier. She d. Dec. 9, 1877. He d. Dec. 13, 1893. Ch.: 1. Josie Demas, b. May 11, 1862; d. Sept. 8, 1862. 2. Susie Minette, b. Sept. 28, 1865; m. Robert Brown. 3. Atta Bell, b. Jan. 2, 1867; m. Clarence Norton; res. North Westchester, Conn.
- viii. JOSEPH ORRIN, b. July 30, 1826, in Westchester, Conn.; d. March 31, 1827, ae. 8 mos.
- ix. JERUSHA KELLOGG, b. Jan. 24, 1828, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Oct. 14, 1867, ae. 40 yrs.; unm.

57. ROXY⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Feb. 1, 1812, or, by church record, Dec. 10, Reuben Brainerd, b. Sept. 24, 1782, son of Stephen and Rachel (Day) Brainerd of Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Conn. He was a farmer living on the farm of his father in Westchester Soc., town of Chatham. Mrs. Roxy (Brainerd) Brainerd d. March 11, 1821, *ae.* 32 yrs., 18 ds. He m. (2), Nov., 1826, Ann Savage, b. Sept. 18, 1795, dau. of Luther and Prudence (Goodrich) Savage of Chatham, now Portland, Conn. Mr. Reuben Brainerd d. of a cancer, Nov. 18, 1895, *ae.* 77 yrs., 3 mos., 21 ds. Mrs. Ann (Savage) Brainerd d. Feb. 9, 1874, *ae.* 78 yrs., 6 mos., 21 ds.

Brainerd children by the first marriage:

- i. STEPHEN DAY, b. Aug. 10, 1813, in Westchester, Conn.
- ii. DOLLY LUCRETIA, b. Sept. 9, 1817, in Westchester, Conn.; d. May 30, 1854, *ae.* 36 yrs., 7 mos., 2 ds.
- iii. A dau., b. April 8, 1819, in Westchester, Conn.; d. April 8, 1819.
- iv. An infant child, b. in Westchester, Conn.; d. Jan., 1821.

Child by the second marriage:

- v. ABBY ANN, b. Dec. 8, 1827, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Aug. 1, 1880; unm.

58. SARAH⁵ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Sept., 1815, Brainerd Emmons, b. Sept. 20, 1782, son of Noadiah and Elizabeth Champion (Brainerd) Emmons of Millington, Conn. He was a farmer in Poolville, N. Y. Mr. Brainerd Emmons d. May 24, 1825. She m. (2), May 1 or 5, 1827, Elisha Fuller, b. Oct. 3, 1771, son of Elisha and Sarah (Sparrow) Fuller of Millington, Conn., afterwards of East Hamilton, N. Y. His first wife was Rachel Brainerd, her cousin. He was a farmer in Poolville, N. Y. Mr. Elisha Fuller d. April 3, 1845. Mrs. Sarah (Brainerd) (Emmons) Fuller d. June 26 or 28, 1880, *ae.* 86 yrs., in Dexter, Mich., where she had gone to live with her daughter, Mrs. Lane. She was the last one of her father's family.

Emmons child by the first marriage:

- i. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. July 12, 1816, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 23, 1834, Andrew J. Forbes of Poolville, N. Y. She d. Mich. 8, 1879. Ch.: 1. Rosalthe B., b. June 25, 1836; d. July 16, 1837. 2. Brainard E., b. Jan. 5, 1838; m. June 2, 1858, Ellen S. Nash, dau. of Loring and Almira (Cadwell) Nash. She d. July 17, 1859. He m. (2), Jan. 14, 1860, Ardelissa Brown, dau. of Walter and Harriet Brown. He d. July 28, 1901, in New Hartford, N. Y., where he was a physician. Ch. i. Nellie B., b. Feb. 27, 1862. ii. Charlie B., b. May 15, 1864. iii. Walter D., b. Dec. 10, 1868. iv. Andrew J., b. Aug. 21, 1874. 3. Lavantia



SARAH (BRAINERD) (EMMONS) FULLER.



DOROTHY (BRAINERD) (STAPLES) BUELL.

Brunette. b. Oct. 2, 1840; d. May 16, 1857. 4. Sarah A., b. Dec. 4, 1842; d. March 27, 1844. 5. Sarah Adell, b. July 8, 1845; m. Nov. 9, 1864, Dr. Nelson L. Griswold. She d. June 17, 1867. 6. Elizabeth Flora, b. Feb. 1, 1851; m. Aug. 8, 1869, her late sister's husband, Dr. Nelson L. Griswold. She d. Dec. 25, 1869. His first wife was Mary Dean; He m. (4) Nettie Anderson. He d. July 9, 1901, in Utica, N. Y.

Fuller children by the second marriage:

- ii. ROXY IRENA, b. May 6, 1828, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. July 5, 1846, John Muir, b. Dec. 28, 1827, son of John and Mary Muir. He deserted his wife. She d. Oct. 1878. Ch.: 1. Mary A., b. May 26, 1847; d. Aug. 28, 1860. 2. Frank, b. Feb. 7, 1860. 3. Mary, b. Sept. 25, 1863.
- iii. LAURA CELINDA, b. Aug. 12, 1830, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 2, 1848, William H. Lane, b. July 22, 1823, son of Benjamin and Almira (Booth) Lane. Ch.: 1. Herbert D., b. April 3, 1850; m. Jan. 6, 1869, Emma R. Arnold. b. Oct. 16, 1846, dau. of Calvin C. and Lucretia C. (Gridley) Arnold. Ch.: i. Henry C., b. Nov. 22, 1869. ii. Elisha B., b. Oct. 15, 1871. 2. Elisha D., b. Dec. 5, 1851; m. Dec. 23, 1875, Belinda E. Arnold, b. Aug. 6, 1850, dau. of Calvin C. and Lucretia C. (Gridley) Arnold. 3. John H., b. Dec. 16, 1853. Mrs. L. C. Lane d. May, 1881, in Dexter, Mich., whither she had gone to live.
- iv. ELISHA, b. June 5, 1832, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. March 13, 1833.
- v. DEBORAH SALOME, b. July 5, 1835, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 8, 1854, Orsemus C. Sawdy, b. Feb. 16, 1832, son of Frederick and Ruth (Wake) Sawdy. Ch.: 1. Frederick S., b. Dec. 31, 1856; d. May 23, 1859. 2. Andrew B., b. Aug. 19, 1861. 3. Adie, b. Oct. 22, 1865. 4. Freddy, b. July 30, 1868. 5. Nora, b. Sept. 27, 1872.

59. DOROTHY⁷ BRAINERD (*William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m. (by Jacob Scales, pastor of the Second Congregational Church of Colchester), Dec. 1, 1819, Orin Staples, b. Feb. 28, 1788, son of John and Rhoda (Day) Staples of Westchester, Conn. He was a Lieut. in the 20th Regt. and 3d Brigade in 1819, and Capt. in 1822-1823. Mr. Orin Staples d. Aug. 9, 1826, ae. 38 yrs., 5 mos., 11 ds. The following article was in *The Middlesex Gazette* of Aug. 16, 1826: "A few weeks before his death he was called to bid adieu to the fascinating charms of a beloved child and with much weakness followed it to the grave. He was a man mild and pleasant in his manners, kind in his disposition, affectionate and social in his feelings, and as a member of society was much esteemed and respected and their sympathy with the relatives manifest their sensibility to the loss they sustain by his death." He was a farmer. She m. (2) June 26, 1838, Talcott L. Buell, b. July 14, 1775, son of Joseph and Mercy (Carrier) Buell. He was a miller and lived at the Iron Works, Westchester, Conn. She was a person of good intelligence, pleasing and kind in her manners, and highly esteemed by her neighbors,

friends and relatives. She was very industrious, and her influence was so great that in her immediate neighborhood and among her relatives she received the title of "Queen Bee." She possessed the qualities of a truly noble woman, admired and beloved by all and sincerely mourned. Mrs. Dorothy or Dolly (Brainerd) (Staples) Buell d. July 14, 1860, *ae.* 61 yrs., 8 mos., 9 ds. He m. (3), widow Louisa D. Main of East Haddam, Conn. His first wife was Mary Carrier, dau. of Col. Uriah and Mary (Gates) Carrier of Westchester, Conn. He was blind the few last years of his life. He was representative to the Connecticut Legislature in 1856. Mr. Talcott L. Buell d. May 2, 1885, *ae.* 87 yrs.

Staples children by the first marriage:

- i. WILLIAM ORIN, b. Dec. 1, 1821, in Westchester, Conn.; m. April 8, 1844, Abby Jane Carrier, b. Nov. 22, 1824, dau. of Orin and Prudence Robbins (Loomis) Carrier of Westchester, Conn. He d. Oct. 27, 1862. He was a farmer and merchant. She d. July 17, 1904, in Colchester, Conn., and was buried by the side of her husband in the cemetery at North Westchester or Iron Works district in Westchester, Conn. Ch.: 1. William Orin, Jr., b. Jan. 27, 1845, in Westchester, Conn., m. Dec. 15, 1869, Elinora Prior, b. July 1, 1848, or 1838, dau. of Jonathan Newman and Adeline (Marks) Prior of Middletown, Conn. She d. Aug. 3, 1872. He m. (2), Apr. 14, 1875, Caroline Elizabeth Nettleton, b. Aug. 11, 1849, dau. of Abner and Hannah (Stevens) Nettleton of Middletown, Conn. He d. Nov. 24, 1899, in New Haven, Conn., *ae.* 54 yrs. He was National Secretary of the Daughters of America, and was a member of the Masons, the Knights of Pythias, and the A. O. U. W. Ch. by the second marriage: i. Herbert Claude, b. Sept. 29, 1876. ii. Edith May, b. June 12, 1879; d. Oct. 17, 1879, *ae.* 4 mos., 5 ds. iii. William Eugene, b. Sept. 20, 1880. 2. Jennie Elizabeth, b. Jan. 10, 1850; m. Feb. 19, 1874, Seth Hall Plumb, b. May 18, 1844, son of Seth Gilbert and Catherine Savage (Hall) Plumb of Ada, Kent Co., Mich. He d. Jan. 15, 1906, at the house of his brother-in-law, Carroll Eugene Staples, in Colchester, Conn. Ch.: i. Ray Sheldon, b. Aug. 11, 1882; d. April 1, 1887. He was a bright and interesting child, far beyond his years in intelligence. Mr. Seth Hall Plumb lived in New Haven, Conn., and was a traveling salesman. 3. Carroll Eugene, b. April 22, 1852, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Feb. 16, 1876, Ella Maria Kellogg, b. Nov. 22, 1853, dau. of George and L. Maria (Payne) Kellogg of Colchester, Conn. No ch.
- ii. LUCY ROXANNA, b. Jan. 13, 1824, in Westchester, Conn.; d. June 4, 1826.
- iii. DOROTHY ROXANNA, b. April 15, 1826, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Sept. 15, 1850, Ralph Henry Skinner, b. Jan. 20, 1827, son of Asahel and Jerusha (Tracy) Skinner. He was a farmer in Westchester, Conn. He d. June 26, 1863. Ch.: 1. Carlton Henry, b. Aug. 8, 1851. 2. Alice Roxanna, b. Feb. 24, 1856, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Dec. 17, 1885, Frank Albert Williams, b. June 10, 1858, son of DeWitt Clinton and Fanny Doane (Selden) Williams. He is a farmer in Westchester, town of Chatham, Conn. She was a teacher many years before marriage. She d. June 16,

1893. Ch.: 1. Jennie Skinner, b. Jan. 22, 1887. 2. A child. b. ———; d. ———.

60. BEZALEEL⁵ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Oct. 21, 1787, Lydia Deming, b. 1758, dau. of Daniel and Sarah (Tisdale) Deming of Norwich, Conn. They lived at Creek Row, East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer. He was Adjutant in the home militia in 1791 and '93. He was afterward chosen Lieut. and was Capt. in the War of 1812. He was Capt. of the South Co. of home militia in 1816. She had a pension granted her in 1840. Capt. Bezaleel Brainerd d. June 25, 1827, ae. 68 yrs., 5 mos., 21 ds. Brainerd d. June 25, 1827, ae. 68 yrs., 5 mos., 21 ds. Mrs. Lydia (Deming) Brainerd d. April 25, 1853, ae. 95 yrs.

Children:

- 119. i. LAURA, b. July 19, 1788, in East Haddam, Conn.
- 120. ii. HANNAH, b. Dec. 4, 1790, in East Haddam, Conn.
- 121. iii. LUCY, b. July 17, 1793, in East Haddam, Conn.
- 122. iv. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 29, 1795, in East Haddam, Conn.
- 123. v. PHEBE, b. Dec. 11, 1798, in East Haddam, Conn.

61. MARY⁵ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., March 12, 1782, Watrous Beckwith, b. Sept. 18, 1754, son of John and Elizabeth (Dart) Beckwith of Lyme, Conn. He served in the Continental Army in 1776. Mrs. Mary (Brainerd) Beckwith d. April 3, 1783. Mr. Watrous Beckwith d.

Beckwith child:

- i. MARY BRAINERD, b. March 3, 1783; m. Nov. 24, 1802, Asa Smith, son of Matthew Smith. She d. Oct. 1, 1842, ae. 60 yrs. He lived in East Haddam, Conn. Fourteen ch.

62. DARIUS⁵ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Dec. 7, 1828, Harriet Selden, b. Nov. 8, 1792, dau. of Thomas, 3d, and Jerusha (Clarke) Selden of Middle Haddam, Conn. He lived on the place occupied by Daniel Brainerd, Jr., who was the first of the name to settle in East Haddam. He was a farmer. He commanded a cavalry company. Mr. Darius Brainerd d. Dec. 13, 1841, or Dec. 9, 1842, ae. 74 yrs. She m. (2), Feb. 18, 1852, Amasa Carrier of Marlborough, Conn., son of Joseph and Lois (Day) Carrier of Marlborough. He was Capt. of the North Co. of home militia in 1816 while living in Westchester. His first wife was Sophronia Ackley, who d. Nov. 4, 1847, in Westchester, Conn. After her death he moved from Westchester, town of Chatham, to Marlborough, Conn., and from there he went to Michigan. He d. Sept. 28, 1878, at Mt. Morris, Mich. Mrs. Harriet (Seldon) (Brainerd) Carrier d. Feb. 11, 1886, ae. 92 years at the same place.

No children.

63. ANNA MARSH⁵ BRAINERD (*Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. Oct. 6 or 17, or 27, 1799, Darius Gates, b. Aug., 1768, in Chatham, Conn., son of Stephen and Esther (Fuller) Gates of East Haddam. He was a farmer living near the Congregational church in that place. Mr. Darius Gates d. April 20, 1833, ae. 66 yrs., of consumption. Mrs. Anna Marsh (Brainerd) Gates d. Feb. 19, 1868, ae. 98 yrs., 12 ds.

No children.

64. DANIEL ADAMS⁵ BRAINERD (*Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., about 1802, Irena Brainerd, b. Aug. 12, 1782, dau. of William and Lucy (Day) Brainerd of Westchester, Conn. They moved to East Hamilton, N. Y., where they lived and died. He was a farmer. He taught school one term in Sangerfield, Herkimer Co., N. Y., and was rewarded for his services by receiving the sum of six dollars and two-thirds per month. Mrs. Irena (Brainerd) Brainerd d. May 10, 1821. Mr. Daniel Adams Brainerd d. Oct. 28, 1831.

Children:

124. i. LUCY DAY, b. April 15, 1804, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 ii. ANNE M., b. Aug. 23, 1806, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. June 20, 1808.
 125. iii. DANIEL ADAMS, b. Sept. 17, 1808, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 126. iv. IRA, b. Aug. 24, 1810, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 v. EDMUND L., b. Aug. 16, 1812, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. April 5, 1813.
 vi. ANNE, b. Jan. 24, 1814, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. June 17, 1892.
 vii. ERASTE MARIA, b. Feb. 15, 1816, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. March 1, 1890.
 viii. CLARISSA, b. July 7, 1818, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Sept. 14, 1818.
65. SAMUEL DIMMICK⁵ BRAINERD (*Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Weybridge, Addison Co., Vt.; m. (by Samuel Jewett, justice of the peace), Feb. 24, 1805, Tamar Lawrence, b. July 16, 1786, in New Haven, Vt., dau. of Zimri and Tamar (Hubbell) Lawrence of Weybridge, Vt. He was divorced. He m. (2), Feb. 3 or 5, 1829, at New Haven, Addison Co., Vt., Electa (Chalker) Hoisington, b. Sept. 17, 1792, dau. of Samuel and Damaris (Everest) Chalker, and widow of George Hoisington. He was appointed Capt. of the militia May 8, 1810, by Jonas Galusha, Governor of Vermont. He removed from Vermont to Illinois in 1843, with his wife and two youngest daughters. He was a farmer. He was skilled with the divining rod, using wild black cherry* with forked branches — they would writhe in his hands, by means of which he would locate the depth

* It is said witch hazel or an apple branch may be used with similar results.

necessary to dig to find water. He never failed to be right. He owned a pottery and mills in New Haven and Weybridge, Vt. Mr. Samuel Dimmick Brainerd d. May 7, 1849, æt. about 70 yrs., in Chesterfield township, Macoupin Co., Ill., at his daughter Louisa Adelia's home. Mrs. Electa (Chalker) (Hoisington) Brainerd d. Oct. 1, 1865, in Medora, Macoupin Co., Ill., at her daughter Maria Electa's home. Mrs. Tamar (Lawrence) Brainerd married Aug. 1, 1848 (by Rev. Lyman Prindle), Samuel Shepard. Mrs. Tamar (Lawrence) (Brainerd) Shepard d. Aug. 11, 1871, in Weybridge, Vt., at the home of her grandson, Oren K. Brittell.

Children by the first marriage:

- 127. i. MARY ANN, b. Oct. 15, 1806, in Weybridge, Vt.
- 128. ii. NELSON, b. Dec. 10, 1808, in Weybridge, Vt.
- 129. iii. LUCINDA, b. March 21, 1813, in Weybridge, Vt.

* Children by the second marriage:

- 130. iv. LOUISA ADELIA, b. Aug. 30, 1830, in New Haven, Vt.
- 131. v. MARIA ELECTA, b. June 11, 1832, in New Haven, Vt.

66. PRUDENCE⁵ BRAINERD (*Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Millington Soc., East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Sept. 19, 1798, John Parmelee, b. _____ son of _____ of Chester, now Saybrook, Conn. He moved to Clarkson, Monroe Co., N. Y., after 1815. Mr. John Parmelee d. Mrs. Prudence (Brainerd) Parmelee d.

Parmelee children:

- i. MARIA, b. _____.
- ii. BETSEY, b. _____.
- iii. PRUDENCE, b. _____.
- iv. MARY ANN, b. _____.
- v. JOHN, b. _____.
- vi. CATHARINE, b. _____.

67. PHEBE⁵ BRAINERD (*Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Millington Soc., town of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 25, 1798, Ambrose Church, b. _____ son of William and Susannah (Hungerford) Church of Middlefield, Mass. He was in Canaan, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1816. Mr. Ambrose Church d. Mrs. Phebe (Brainerd) Church d.

Church children:

- i. AZUBAH, b. March 23, 1800; d. Sept. 13, 1812.
- ii. EMELINE, b. Feb. 20, 1804.
- iii. AMBROSE, b. Jan. 1, 1807.
- iv. AUGUSTUS MATHER, b. Nov. 1, 1809.

68. AZUBAH⁵ BRAINERD (*Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Millington Soc., town of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 1, 1796, Aaron Cone Palmer, b. Feb. 5,

1773, in Bashan, son of Levi and Elizabeth (Cone) Palmer of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer in Bashan district, East Haddam. Mr. Aaron Cone Palmer d. Jan. 5, 1855, *ae.* 82 yrs. Mrs. Azubah (Brainerd) Palmer, d. Sept. 12, 1869, *ae.* 76 yrs., 5 mos., 29 ds.

Palmer children:

- i. BRAINERD, b. April 27, 1797, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Jan. 19, 1820, Eunice Avery Fox. He d. Feb. 7, 1887, *ae.* 89 yrs., 10 mos. His dau. Catherine m., Oct. 22, 1862, Julius Attwood, b. Feb. 23, 1821. Ch.: 1. Bertha, b. Aug. 24, 1864.
- ii. ELIZA, b. Nov. 10, 1800, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. about Jan. 3, 1827, Asa Hungerford, son of Robert and Olive (Ely) Hungerford of Hadlyme, Conn. He d. May, 1874. She d. April 10, 1900, *ae.* 99 yrs., 5 mos.
- iii. HARRIET E., b. Jan. 22, 1806, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Willard E. Bliss.
- iv. FREDERIC AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 21, 1811, in East Haddam, Conn.; moved to Painesville, Ohio, but returned to Millington, Conn. He d. July 16, 1835, *ae.* 33 yrs.
- v. ADALINE ANN, b. Jan. 3, 1815, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. George W. Smith of Hartford, Conn., then of Norwich, Conn.
- vi. LEVI, b. March 15, 1818, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Aug. 8, 1838, Eliza Ann Flood. He d. June 23, 1845. Two ch.

69. ROXANNA⁵ BRAINERD (*Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 17, 1804, George Palmer, b. May 22, 1781, son of Levi and Elizabeth (Cone) Palmer of East Haddam. He was a tanner and currier living in East Haddam. Mrs. Roxanna (Brainerd) Palmer d. Nov. 10, or 19, 1811, *ae.* 28 yrs. He m. (2), Catherine Chauncey Rawson, dau. of Rev. Mr. Rawson of Hadlyme, Conn. She d. and he m. (3), Louisa C. Brooks of East Haddam. Mr. George Palmer d. June, 1844, *ae.* 63 yrs.

Palmer children:

- i. GEORGE, b. Feb. 1 or 2, 1805, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. in 1827, Jane Mitchell. He d. in 1885 or 1886. Ch.: 1. Harriet, b. 1828; m. 1848, Wade Hampton Gilbert. She d. leaving a son, Wade Hampton, who is married and lives in Donaldsonville, La. 2. Jane, b. 1835; m. about 1855, Mr. Shratt in New Orleans, La. She m. (2), 1865, Arthur M. Wackerbath, res. New Orleans, La. Ch. by first marriage: i. Jane. ii. Alice. 3. George, b. 1848; d. young.
- ii. ANN GOODSPEED, b. Oct. 8, 1806, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. 1828, Frederick Allen. He d. 1830. She m. (2), 1833, Jonathan B. Parsons. She d. 1886. Ch.: 1. A son b. 1834; d. 1834, *ae.* 2 ds. 2. Mary Ann, b. Sept. 27, 1836; m. in New Brunswick, N. J., Oliver I. Munsell, who d. in 1888. 3. Henry Holmes, b. Jan. 21, 1843; unkn.
- iii. EDMUND M., b. Aug. 27, 1808, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. 1834, Helena F. Webster. She d. 1862. Ch.: 1. George H., b. Aug. 8, 1835. 2. Brainerd, b. July 9, 1838; unkn.; a druggist at Atlanta, Ga. 3. Virginia, b. April 27, 1841; m. and lives in or near Athens, Ga. 4. Edmund, b. June 3, 1845; d. 1845. 5. Henry P., b. June 2, 1848; lives in or near Athens, Ga. 6. Joseph Rawson, b. Feb. 5, 1852;

m. and lives in or near Athens, Ga. 7. A dau., b. 1855; d. young.

70. HARRIET⁵ BRAINERD (*Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Aug. 20, 1807, Capt. Hezekiah Canfield, b. Oct. 25, 1778, son of of Chester, Conn. He was a seafaring man and lived at Chester, in the town of Saybrook, Conn. He afterward moved to New York city. Capt. Hezekiah Canfield d. Sept. 17, 1830, in New York city, ae. 53 yrs., 12 ds. Mrs. Harriet (Brainerd) Canfield d. Nov. 19, 1840, ae. 53 yrs., 8 mos. Both were buried in Chester.

Canfield children:

- i. CAROLINE N., b. Dec. 25, 1808, in Chester, Conn.; lives in New York city.
- ii. FREDERICK BRAINERD, b. Oct. 15, 1810, in Chester, Conn. He d. Dec. 31, 1833, ae. 23 yrs., 1 mo., 16 ds.
- iii. ADELIA R., b. Dec. 31, 1811, in Chester, Conn.; m. Edward Barlow. She d. Feb. 24, 1881, ae. 69 yrs. All are buried in Taunton Hill Cemetery, Deep River, Conn.

71. ENOCH S.⁵ BRAINARD (*Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Lebanon, New London Co., Conn.; m., Aug. 17, 1820, Abigail Brainerd, b. June 22, 1797, dau. of Silas and Lucinda (Brainerd) Brainerd of East Haddam, Conn. He lived in Middle Haddam, Portland, and Glastonbury, Conn., and in Newburgh, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. Mr. Enoch S. Brainerd d. Nov. 5, 1881, in Newburgh, Ohio. Mrs. Abigail (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Feb. 1, 1882, in Stowe, Summit Co., Ohio.

Children:

132. i. ELIZABETH R., b. July 18, 1821.
- ii. ABBA, b. ———; d. Oct., 1834.
133. iii. GEORGE, b. ———; bapt. 1831.
134. iv. JOSEPH LEACH, b. ———.
- v. ABBA LUCINDA, b. ———; d. Feb. 20, 1848 or 1849, ae. 19 yrs.
- vi. JOHN WILLIAMS, b. ———; bapt. Sept. 2, 1832; d. Oct. 16, 1848 or 1849, ae. 16 yrs.
135. vii. ENOCH SOUTHWORTH, b. ———.
- viii. HENRY, b. ———.
- ix. A child, b. ———; d. ———.

SIXTH GENERATION.

72. DANIEL⁶ BRAINERD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel¹, Daniel¹, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Richmond, Berkshire Co., Mass., m., in 1818, in Buffalo, N. Y., Marcia Fox, b. March 25, 1801, in Chester, Va., dau. of James and Nancy (Landon) Fox. He was subjected to great difficulty in obtaining his early education, from the reduced circumstances of his father, but commenced the study of medicine before he was twenty years of age, at St. John, Lower Canada, in the same province, but the war of 1812 compelled him to come to the United States. He then went to Vermont and studied with Prof. John Pomeroy, and graduated at the Medical College in Burlington, Vt., early in 1812. He removed to Canandaigua, N. Y., and entered into partnership with Dr. Wells, which continued for seven years. Six months of that time, in 1812, he was assistant surgeon in the American army (Peter Allen's Regt.) but was obliged to resign on account of sickness. In 1816 he moved farther west, and in 1819, to Lower Sandusky, Fremont, Ohio, where he practiced medicine about 20 years, then, owing to failing health, declined all professional business.

He was once elected sheriff and once mayor of Fremont, Ohio. He delivered a masonic temperance address before the lodge in Fremont, Ohio, in May, 1853.

Mr. Daniel Brainard d. Jan. 11, 1856, ae. 68 yrs., 4 mos., 27 ds., in Fremont, Ohio. Mrs. Marcia (Fox) Brainard d. Jan. 20, 1868, ae. 66 yrs., 9 mos., 25 ds.

Children:

136. i. BETSEY E., b. Aug. 9, 1820, in Buffalo, N. Y.
137. ii. NANCY ANN, b. Sept. 29, 1822, in Sandusky,* Ohio.
- iii. DANIEL LAFAYETTE, b. Dec. 13, 1825, in Sandusky, Ohio; d. Sept. 7, 1833, ae. 8 yrs.
138. iv. ALMIRA ADALINE, b. April 4, 1827, in Sandusky, Ohio.
- v. EDWARD AUGUSTUS, b. Oct. 20, 1828, in Sandusky, Ohio; d. Jan. 8, 1842, ae. 14 yrs.
139. vi. ESTHER MARILLA, b. July 8, 1830, in Sandusky, Ohio.
140. vii. ELECTA SOPHIA, b. Aug. 17, 1832, in Sandusky, Ohio.
- viii. CHARLES SELDEN,† b. May 15, 1834, in Sandusky, Ohio; d. May 28, 1835, ae. 1 yr.
- ix. JULIA MARIA, b. March 24, 1836, in Sandusky, Ohio; d. Feb. 10, 1837.
- x. MARY FIDELIA, b. June 1, 1839, in Sandusky, Ohio; d. Nov. 19, 1840.
- xi. CATHERINE AMELIA, b. March 26, 1841, in Sandusky, Ohio; d. July 17, 1841.
141. xii. MARYETTE E., b. Feb. 10, 1843, in Sandusky, Ohio.

* Sandusky is now called Tremont, Ohio.

† His name has been called Charles M.

73. ESTHER⁶, or HESTER BRAINARD (*Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Canandaigua, Ontario Co., N. Y., m., , Ira Roberts of Michigan, where she lives. Mrs Esther (Brainard) Roberts d.

Roberts children:

74. ELECTA⁶ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Canandaigua, Ontario Co., N. Y., m., Mr. Perrin.* He lived in Pontiac, Mich. Mrs. Electa (Brainard) Perrin d. about 1839. Mr. Perrin d.

Perrin children:

- i. BRAINARD, b. ———.
- ii. EDWARD, b. ———.
- iii. MARY, b. ———; m. Mr. Gardner.
- iv. A child, b. ———.

75. JEREMIAH GATES⁶ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ; m. Sept. 8, 1816, Mary, or Polly, Fox, b. April 7, 1801, dau. of Daniel and Mary (Landon) Fox. Mrs. Polly (Fox) Brainard d. . He m. (2), Ann (Cruse) Stone, b. in Bath, or Bristol, Eng., and widow of Enoch Stone. Mrs. Ann (Cruse) (Stone) Brainard d. March, 1849. He m. (3), Olive () Anderson, widow of Lewis Anderson. He was a farmer in Dearborn, Mich. Her res. (1900) was Plymouth, Mich. Mr. Jeremiah Gates Brainard d. , at Dearborn, Mich.

Children by the first marriage:

142. i. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS, b. Aug. 13, 1819, in ———.
143. ii. CHARLES NELSON, b. June 9, 1821, in Dearborn, Mich.
144. iii. NANCY AMANDA, b. June 19, 1823, in ———.
145. iv. MARY ZIDELIA, b. Dec. 19, 1825, in ———.
146. v. JEREMIAH FRANKLIN, b. June 4, 1828; d. at sea returning from the Mexican War.
147. vi. AMASA FOX, b. April 24, 1830.
148. vii. COMFORT MARIA, b. Oct. 13, 1832.
149. viii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. July 16, 1835, in Dearborn, Mich.
150. ix. LEWIS SCOTT, b. Jan. 31, 1840; d. 1863 or 1864, in Scholot, Ia.

Child by the second marriage:

151. x. ESTHER CORNELIA, b. May 8, 1848.

Children by the third marriage:

152. xi. ELECTA ALMIRA, b. Oct. 29, 1851; d. May 8, 1853.
153. xii. LAURA ANN, b. March 11, 1853.
154. xiii. ELECTA ANN, b. May 17, 1855; d. May 19, 1855.
155. xiv. JEREMIAH GATES, b. Nov. 3, 1857.

* Mrs. McLaughlin thought Electa m. Mr. Roberts.

76. WILLIAM FOWLER⁶ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of New London, New London Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 10, 1811, Anna Learned, b. June 16, 1784, dau. of Hon. Amasa and Grace (Hallam) Learned. Mrs. Anna (Learned) Brainard d. Aug. 16, 1817, ae. 33 yrs. He m. (?), March 18, 1832 (by Rev. Mr. A. McEwen), Sarah Ann Prentiss, b. Aug. 21, 1801, dau. of John and Eunice (Frink) Prentiss.

He was fitted for college by Jacob B. Gurley, entered Yale in 1798, and through his college course was one of the best scholars in his class. He graduated at Yale in 1802, M.A., and was made Bachelor of Arts by his Alma Mater the same year. He studied law with his father and practiced his profession in New London till his death; was an able advocate, generally interesting, often very humorous, and not unfrequently brilliant. He was also a fine writer. Two addresses of his, one delivered before a masonic lodge, and the other at the laying of the cornerstone of the Groton monument, have been published and excited much attention. The former passed through three editions. The latter is evincive of much genius and of great care and felicity of composition. When the distinguished Roger Griswold became Governor of Connecticut he was appointed aid-de-camp and Capt.-Gen., and Commander, which gave him the rank of Colonel. He was justice of the peace for New London Co. for 14 yrs.; notary public from 1811 to 1844, inclusive; clerk of the City Court from 1811 to 1828, inclusive; representative to the General Assembly in 1840; quartermaster of the 3d Brigade in 1810; attorney for the Whaling Bank of New London.

He was the subject of some religious exercises in the revival at college in 1802, and though nothing saving was then experienced, a conviction was made upon his mind that experimental religion **was** indispensable to salvation, that never left him. He was a constant attendant upon public worship, a careful and critical hearer of the Word, and for quite a number of years before his death he maintained worship in his house from a conviction that it was a duty he owed his family, and there is good evidence that he yielded to the conditions of mercy. In Jan., 1843, he was admitted to membership in the First Congregational Church, and his friends and acquaintances rejoiced in the belief that when he died he was received into the joy of his Lord.

- * Mr. William Fowler Brainard d. April 27, 1844, ae. 59 yrs., 7 mos., 1 d. Mrs. Sarah Ann (Prentiss) Brainard d. Nov. 29, 1882, ae. 81 yrs., 3 mos., 8 ds.

Child by the first marriage:

- i. A dau., b. ———, in New London, Conn.; d. ae. 1 or 2 ds.



MARY GARDINER BRAINERD.

Children by the second marriage:

153. ii. LUCRETIA, b. Nov. 11, 1833, in New London, Conn.
 ✓iii. SARAH PRENTISS, b. July 13, 1835, in New London, Conn.; d.
 June 5, 1901, æ. 66 yrs., 4 mos., 22 ds.
 - iv. MARY GARDINER, b. June 19, 1837, in New London, Conn.; d.
 Nov. 30, 1905.
 ✓v. JOHN, b. June 11, 1841, in New London, Conn.; d. June 8, 1843.

The following sweet poems are from the pen of Mary Gardiner Brainard:

SONG OF THE ROBIN.

Never so chilly and blowy be March,
 Robin knows it's Spring;
 Tell him, if you can, when it's time to sing;
 He comes with his calendar under his wing.
 He will be ahead of the buds and leaves;
 He cannot wait for the mildest days;
 His eager spirit its note must raise.
 Hear him in morning's duskiess,
 Loving the stillness, the sombre gray,
 Plaintively caroling forth his lay,
 Till a grand chorus comes in to say:
 "We are so glad, we are wild with joy:
 God is so good that he must be praised:
 We cannot help it — we cannot wait;
 Spring may be chilly, but Summer is late.
 Praise Him, high in the tall tree-top,
 While people are sleeping and know it not."
 Some sleepless, sad one listens and says:
 "Oh, that those wild, mad birds would stop."

Over and over, the glad, loud song,
 Just touched with the sadness that clings to earth:
 Ye are not sinners — why should ye care?
 Sing as pure spirits sing; sing and share
 None of the sadness, but only the mirth.

Robin seeks not for listeners — no;
 This is his full heart's overflow
 Unto the trees, and the clouds, and the dew, —
 Into the ear of the waking morn, —
 Piercing the earliest twilight through
 With the burst of his gushing song.
 He sings, for he must sing; he cannot wait;
 Dawn is half darkness, but sunrise is late.
 Oh, the joy of that shadowed hour!
 Bubbling over with hymns of praise;
 Never could daylight such music pour;
 Never could midday such chorus raise.
 Yet is there plaint in the melody,
 A thread of grief in the nest of song;
 The Spring brings many glad things,
 But many things are gone!

Here and there, when the sunlight comes,
 Robin in singleness warbles his hymn;
 Pours out his love and his gladness of heart:
 Oh, his own song has no sadness for him.

Diving deep into April showers,
 Sweeter his note when the rain-drops fall:
 "I have so much to utter," he says,
 "My heart is so full that I cannot tell all."

Spring yields to Summer, still Robin sings on;
 June lends her ear to his mystical note,
 Sometimes he tells a July afternoon
 Part of the joy that bounds into his throat:
 Farewell outgoings, sweet thoughts left till last,
 Tender good-byes, for the time glideth fast,
 "Summer is lovely, make much of it, drink
 Deeply its cup of joy,—soon 'twill have past:
 Hold fast the Spirit of Beauty so fleet,
 Listen her harmony—sit at her feet."

Mute grow your voices, yet linger your forms;
 True friends to Summer, ye stay while ye may:
 Then without utterance, folded your songs,
 Silently, stealthily glide ye away.
 When will ye come again? winter is long;
 Many the days before April and June:
 Never again will ye sing the same song;
 Never your tune will be just the old tune.

OWNERSHIP.

That which we look on with unselfish love
 And true humility, is surely ours;
 Even as a lake looks at the stars above,
 And makes within itself a heaven of stars.
 The lowliest flower the prairie land presents
 Raising its sweet face to the far off sun.
 Has the whole earth for its inheritance,
 And calls the sunlight and the air its own.
 The clouds and dews and drops of falling rain,
 As ministering spirits to it come;
 Its little life has all it can contain,
 As though Creation were for it alone:
 So to the meek, the wide, wide earth is given,
 Yea, and the Maker too of earth and Heaven.

NOT KNOWING.

"Not knowing the things that shall befall me there."—Acts XX; 22.

I know not what shall befall me;
 God hangs a mist o'er my eyes,
 And thus, each step of my onward path,
 He makes new scenes to rise,
 And every joy he sends me comes
 As a sweet and glad surprise.

I see not a step before me,
 As I tread on another year:
 But the past is in God's keeping,
 The future His mercy shall clear,
 And what looks dark in the distance,
 May brighten as I draw near.

For perhaps the dreaded future
 Is less bitter than I think:
 The Lord may sweeten the waters
 Before I stoop to drink,
 Or, if Marah must be Marah,
 He will stand beside its brink.

It may be He keeps waiting
 Till the coming of my feet,
 Some gift of such rare blessedness,
 Some joy so strangely sweet,
 That my lips shall only tremble
 With the thanks they cannot speak.

O restful, blissful ignorance!
 'Tis blessed not to know,
 It keeps me still in the mighty arms
 Which will not let me go,
 And hushes my soul to rest
 On the bosom which loves me so!

So I go on not knowing;
 I would not if I might;
 I would rather walk in the dark with God,
 Than go alone in the light; —
 I would rather walk with Him by faith,
 Than walk alone by sight.

My heart shrinks back from trials
 Which the future may disclose,
 Yet I never had a sorrow
 But what the dear Lord chose:
 So I send the coming tears back,
 With the whispered word, "He knows."

THE LITTLE FACE OF THE LONG AGO.

O little face of the Long Ago, come back to me **once more**
 to-night,
 As I sit and dream by the fire's soft light,
 While the winds roar and rage without,
 And the snow is swirling in drifts about.
 I shut my eyes till I feel the thrill
 Of a "vanished hand" and "a voice that is still."
 The fire on my hearth burns high, burns low,
 And I see by the light of its fitful glow
 A little face of the Long Ago.

A hand into mine confidently slips
 As was its wont in the days gone by,
 And a smile is touching the parted lips
 And lighting the beaming eye.
 Silently, side by side we sit,
 And hark to the wind and the clock's low tick
 As it softly tells of the flight of time
 And chimes the hour with a gentle chime.
 Swinging its pendulum to and fro
 While I am watching the happy glow
 On the little face of the Long Ago.

We need no words in this quiet hour.
 The voice of Silence is louder far

As we sit and dream by the hearthstone's light.
 You and I on this stormy night.
 Once more, under shadow of spreading trees
 We feel the breath of the summer breeze;
 We think our thoughts in some little nook,
 Or ramble through woods and beside the brook;
 And ever I'm turning to see if 'tis so —
 If you are going the way I go
 O little face of the Long Ago!

O little face where the April sky
 Of shadow and sunshine go flitting by,
 How the clond is sent to its hiding place
 That light may shine on another's face,
 O sky of hope, sure thou hast not for me
 Worn thy sweet sunset hues — it cannot be!
 So steadfast in purpose so brave in woe
 Is the little face of the Long Ago.

The wind is softening its rage without,
 The fire on my hearth is almost out;
 I cover the embers with ashes o'er
 And sit me down in the gloom once more.
 I gaze on the ashen pile which lies
 Where the recent glow met my dreaming eyes:
 Ah me! it is hidden beneath the snow —
 That little face of the Long Ago!

77. JOSEPH BATES⁶ BRAINERD (*Noadiah*⁵, *Jared*⁴, *Noadiah*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 5, 1833, in Meriden, Conn. Sarah Ann Dimmick, b. ———, probably in New London, Conn., dau. of Lot and Hannah (Searles) Dimmick of Meriden, Conn. After his marriage he moved from Meriden to Bristol, thence to Ansonia, Conn., where he died. He was a man of more than ordinary mental capacity, of sterling integrity, and was universally respected while he lived and lamented when he died. He was a cabinet maker. Mr. Joseph Bates Brainerd d. May 8, 1876, ae. 76 yrs., 6 mos., 22 ds. Mrs. Sarah Ann (Dimmick) Brainerd d. March 30, 1879, ae. 69 yrs.

Child by adoption: 1. MARIA SCOVILLE, b. Aug. 15, 1829, in Watertown, Conn. Her baptismal name was Maria Scoville Merriam, dau. of Edward Scoville Merriam, who d. in Waterbury, Conn., and his wife, Julia (Beecher) Merriam of Woodbridge, Conn.

" She went to Waterbury, Conn., about 1849, and sang in St. John's choir under the direction of L. T. Downs and T. L. Driggs. G. H. Curtiss, an accomplished musician of that period, hearing her sing, advised her to go to New York to study. She began work about 1853, with Dr. C. W. Beams, then organist of the church of the Ascension. She sang for several years in this church, and nine years in St. Bartholomew's, and during this period was constantly

in demand for concert and oratorios, and unquestionably ranked as the leading American soprano. After singing for some eight or nine years at Yonkers, N. Y., and for a time at the Broadway Tabernacle, New York city, and filling other church engagements, she became engaged in teaching vocal music under the auspices of the Presbyterian Board of Missions at Oakland Institute, in Asheville, N. C. She was without doubt the greatest artist whose career has originated in Waterbury, and her singing in oratorio, especially in Handel's 'Messiah,' has been praised in the warmest terms by leading critics."—*From History of Waterbury.*

In a New York paper of Sept. 11, 1892, in a lengthy obituary notice of the late Mr. Timm, a noted musician in New York city, the following anecdote was given by him in his own words: "It was at the beginning of our Civil War. The news of the firing upon Fort Sumter had arrived the day before our last concert that season. We had many thousand copies of the words of 'The Star-Spangled Banner' distributed at the entrance of the Academy of Music on the evening of the concert, with the request of the audience to join in the chorus. The audience was very large on that occasion. After the performance of the last piece on the programme the largest flag we could procure was let down from the flies of the stage, forming a background to the orchestra. I then led Miss Brainerd, who wore a scarf of the national colors, to the footlights. After a long and tremendous applause she began to sing with her fine voice the best of all our patriotic songs, 'The Star-Spangled Banner.' I shall never forget the almost wild enthusiasm of the whole audience when the chorus broke in: the waving of handkerchiefs and hats, the tremendous noise of the stamping of feet and canes."

78. MARY ANNE⁶ BRAINERD (*Noadiah*⁵, *Jared*⁴, *Noadiah*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 24, 1836 (by Samuel Mills, pastor of the Congregational Church), Rev. Mark Ives, b. Feb. 10, 1809, son of Cephas and Nancy (Clark) Ives of Goshen, Conn. He attended Goshen Academy; graduated at Union College in 1833; at Andover Theo. Sem. in 1833-34; at Hartford Theo. Sem. (then East Windsor) in 1836; ordained at Sharon, Conn., Sept. 28, 1836. They sailed from Boston Dec. 14, 1836, as missionaries of the A. B. C. F. M. to the Sandwich Islands, where he remained till 1851, a space of 14 years, 6 mos.; his wife remaining three years longer. They were stationed at Hana on the eastern extremity of Maui from 1837 to 1840, a place much exposed to the trade winds, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Conde, where no missionary had ever been. They were the first white ladies the natives had ever seen. As missionaries they were welcomed with an enthusiasm that was very cheering. "They would come twenty miles and wake us up in the night to talk with us, and asked all manner of strange questions. Mrs. Ives went into school six hours every day and the scholars in a few months learned to read fluently in the Bible. We commenced life in a house made by planting posts in the

ground and sticks tied across them and the whole covered with grass, which resembled a hay stack with a hole for a door, and three or four smaller holes for windows." Mr. Ives had a school about two miles distant, of a hundred scholars, and preached at distant villages. On March 21, 1838, during his absence, their house took fire and burned to the ground. This left them so much exposed to the elements Mrs. Ives took a severe cold and was threatened with consumption, and on that account they were removed to Kealakekua, on the eastern side of the island of Hawaii, where Capt. Cook was killed. His field extended 40 miles along the sea coast. Mr. Forbes occupied the station while Mr. Ives took an outpost 12 miles distant, and took the care of all the schools, which at the time he left had increased to a thousand scholars.

He gathered a church of about two thousand, but his labors were too arduous. When he had been there nine years, one Sabbath, having taken forty that day into the church, in the midst of his sermon, he suddenly sank down in his pulpit, and was not able to preach again. With the advice of the physicians, and being commended by the mission to the secretary in Boston, he left the Sandwich Islands, Dec. 9, 1850. His health not being restored as was expected, at the decision of the Board, his family left there Dec. 1, 1843, to join him in America. They lived in Cornwall, Conn., and he became a farmer. He moved to Danbury, Conn., Oct., 1883. Those who enjoyed the privilege of personal acquaintance with Mr. and Mrs. Ives can testify to their rich Christian experience, the true missionary spirit not being exhausted by their residence in heathen lands, but developed and enlarged. Mrs. Mary Anne (Brainerd) Ives d. March 2, 1882, at Cornwall, Conn., æ. 71 yrs., 3 mos., 14 ds. Rev. Mark Ives d. March 21, 1885, æ. 76 yrs., 1 mo., 11 ds., in Danbury, Conn. They are both interred in Cornwall, Conn.

Ives children:

- i. JOSEPH BRAINERD, b. Oct. 16, 1837, in the Sandwich Islands; m. July 5, 1876, in New Haven, Conn., Mary Morris Tucker, b. Oct. 8, 1847, in Bristol, Conn., dau. of Edwin and Abby J. (Ells) Tucker of New Haven, Conn. She was a teacher. He grad. at Yale Theological Seminary in New Haven. He is a Home Missionary, and has preached in Douglas, Butler Co., Kansas. He was (1890) in San Jacinto, San Diego Co., Cal. Ch.: 1. Bessie Brainerd, b. Sept. 3, 1877; d. Feb. 13, 1880. 2. Nettie Henderson, b. Oct. 7, 1879; d. Nov. 29, 1884.
- ii. HARLAN PAGE, b. Aug. 18, 1840, in the Sandwich Islands; m. April 29, 1863, Elvira Elizabeth Vaill, b. April 28, 1845, dau. of William and Mary Vaill of Danbury, Conn.; a farmer. He is superintendent of the Sabbath-school and deacon in the Congregational Church in that place. Ch.: 1. William Harlan, b. Jan. 26, 1864. 2. Joseph Mark, b. Jan. 9, 1866. 3. Robert Allyn, b. Nov. 19, 1867. 4. Charles Gulick, b. March

- 22, 1870. 5. Mary Brainerd, b. Jan. 31, 1872. 6. Hattie Evelyn, b. Jan. 21, 1874. 7. Jesse, b. Jan. 17, 1876. 8. Nellie Vaille, b. May 26, 1878. All born in Cornwall, Conn. 9. Herbert Russell, b. Nov. 17, 1884, in Danbury, Conn.
- iii. MARY PARNELLE, b. March 23, 1847, in Sandwich Islands; grad. of Mt. Holyoke Sem.; a governess.
- iv. HARRIET ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 14, 1849, in Sandwich Islands; a teacher or governess.

79. GEORGE B.⁶ BRAINERD (*Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Lovee Goodell, or Goodwill, b. Oct. 21, 1801, in Hamilton, N. Y., dau. of . . . He was a farmer and lived in Ohio. Mr. George B. Brainerd d. Jan. 28, 1843, ae. 41 yrs., 4 mos., 8 ds. She m. (2), Mr. Blackman, and lived in Aurora, Portage Co., Ohio. They had an adopted son called Luman Longley. Mrs. Lovee (Goodell) (Brainerd) Blackman d. Nov. 1, 1866, ae. 65 yrs., 10 ds.

No children.

80. FREDERICK⁶ BRAINERD (*Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., April 1825, Lucretia Latimer Smith, b. August 17, 1800, in New London, Conn., dau. of Dudley and Anna (Gould) Smith of Lyme, Conn. In his early life he was a shoemaker, later a farmer. They moved to East Windsor, now South Windsor, Conn., about 1828 or 1829, from East Haddam, Conn. Mr. Frederick Brainerd d. Dec. 9 or 10, 1859, ae. 62 yrs., 10 mos., 1 ds. Mrs. Lucretia Latimer (Smith) Brainerd d. Sept. 5, or 31, 1887, in West Hartford, Conn., at the home of her niece, Mrs. R. N. Francis, moving there in 1872.

No children.

81. LUCRETIA⁶ BRAINERD (*Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., July 9, 1814, John Goodwin Webster, b. March 18, 1805, son of John and Thankful (Roberts) Webster of Deerfield, Oneida Co., N. Y., formerly of Glastonbury, Conn. He was a farmer in Lee Center, Oneida Co., N. Y. Mr. John Goodwin Webster d. June 21, 1874, ae. 69 yrs., 2 mos. Mrs. Lucretia (Brainerd) Webster d. Nov. 4, 1875, ae. 74 yrs., 2 mos., 6 ds.

Webster children:

- i. CHARLOTTE LUCRETIA, b. March 18, 1824, in Deerfield, N. Y.; m. Amaziah Brainerd.
- ii. SARAH SOPHIA, b. July 18, 1825, in Deerfield, N. Y.; m. Jan. 30, 1846, Erastus Tiffany, b. July 5, 1824, son of Mr. ——— and Sally Tiffany of Deerfield. He was a flour dealer, and supervisor of the fourth ward in Rome, N. Y. Ch.: 1.

- Thankful Arlette, b. Jan. 20, 1854; m. Dec. 24, 1877, Hedding A. Caswell of New York city, son of William and Harriet Caswell of Rome, N. Y. He is head clerk in a shoe establishment in New York city. 2. Eva, b. June 15, 1859, in Lee Center; d. Nov. 21, 1863.
- iii. **THANKFUL M.**, b. Nov. 15, 1826, in Deerfield, N. Y.; d. Sept. 28, 1830.
- iv. **JOHN ROBERT**, b. Nov. 5, 1828, in Deerfield, N. Y.; m. Jan. 30, 1853, Eliza Jane Schermerhorn, b. Jan. 2, 1833, dau. of Uriah and Sally Schermerhorn of Deerfield, N. Y.; res. Poland, Herkimer Co., N. Y.; a farmer. Ch.: 1. Allie T., b. Aug. 22, 1855. 2. Cora L., b. Aug. 28, 1857; d. Dec. 5, 1864. 3. Curtis G., b. Jan. 25, 1860; d. Sept. 12, 1863. 4. Lottie M., b. Aug. 13, 1862. 5. Eva M., b. May 5, 1865. 6. A dau., b. Aug. 19, 1868; d. Aug. 24, 1868.
- v. **PHEBE LUCINA**, b. May 30, 1830, in Deerfield, N. Y.; m. Feb. 18, 1857, Stephen Schermerhorn, b. Nov. 14, 1828, brother of Eliza Jane; a farmer; res. Lee Town, Oneida Co., N. Y.
- vi. **FREDERICK**, b. March 13, 1837, in Deerfield, N. Y.; m. Sept. 18, 1861, Helen Potter, b. Jan. 22, 1841, dau. of George and Harriet Potter of Poland, N. Y. He was proprietor of a Temperance Hotel in Poland.
- vii. **HARRIET**, b. March 13, 1837, in Deerfield, N. Y.; d. Sept. 13, 1841, in her fifth yr.
- viii. **BETSEY ALZINA**, b. Aug. 13, 1842, in Deerfield, N. Y.; res. Lee Center, N. Y.

82. ⁴**EPHRAIM**⁶ **BRAINERD** (*Levi*², *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Aug., 1829, Jerusha Carrier Fuller, b. Feb. 7, 1807, in Hamilton, N. Y., dau. of Newel and Deborah (Carrier) Fuller. He was a farmer in Hamilton. Mr. Ephraim Brainerd d. March 17, 1861, ae. 58 yrs., 2 mos., 22 ds. Mrs. Jerusha Carrier (Fuller) Brainerd d. Nov. 20, 1883, ae. 76 yrs., 9 mos., 13 ds.

Children:

154. i. **MARY E.**, b. July 18, 1830, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 155. ii. **LYMAN**, b. March 2, 1832, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 156. iii. **LYDIA C.**, b. Sept. 22, 1841, in Hamilton, N. Y.

83. **AMASA ORLANDO**⁶ **BRAINERD** (*Levi*⁵, *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. Oct. 27, 1825, Clarissa Elnora Hopkins, b. Dec. 13, 1808, in Hamilton, N. Y., dau. of Chillingsworth and Eunice (Tucker) Hopkins. He was a farmer in Hamilton. Mr. Amasa Orlando Brainerd d. March 25, 1846, in Madison and was buried at Hamilton Center, N. Y. Mrs. Clarissa Elnora (Hopkins) Brainerd d. Oct. 4, 1886, ae. 78 yrs.

Children:

157. i. **PHEBE MARY**, b. March 9, 1823, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 158. ii. **JOSHUA FREDERIC**, b. July 4, 1826, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 159. iii. **ELIZABETH**, b. Oct. 20, 1829, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 160. iv. **WILLIAM**, b. Nov. 8, 1832, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 161. v. **MARY ANN**, b. Dec. 25, 1834, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 162. vi. **MENZO**, b. March 27, 1837, in Hamilton, N. Y.

- ✓84. SAMUEL ACKLEY⁶ BRAINERD (*Stephen⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. Sept. 26, 1832, Abigail Lucinda Brainerd, b. Sept. 27, 1807, dau. of William and Patience (Foote) Brainerd of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer in East Hamilton. Mrs. Abigail Lucinda (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Aug. 30, 1834, ae. 26 yrs., 11 mos., 3 ds. Mr. Samuel Ackley Brainerd d. March 26, 1864, ae. 56 yrs., 10 mos., 16 ds.

No children.

- ✓85. DAY⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 11, 1824, Emily Smith, b. Sept. 14, 1806, in Belchertown, Mass., dau. of Chauncey and Phebe (Buxton) Smith of Gainesville, N. Y. He was a farmer, living on a portion of the old Brainerd homestead, which was purchased by his father. He was an exemplary member and class leader in the Methodist Episcopal Church for many years. His wife was a member in high standing in the same church. Mr. Day Brainerd d. Feb. 7, 1875, ae. 75 yrs., 6 mos., 10 ds. Mrs. Emily (Smith) Brainerd d. Dec. 25, 1883, ae. 77 yrs., 3 mos., 13 ds., in Gainesville, N. Y.

Children :

163. i. LUCY ANN, b. April 6, 1826, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. OLIVER, b. Aug. 24, 1828, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. June 7, 1857, ae. 28 yrs., 8 mos., 14 ds.; a farmer and broker; unm.
164. iii. CHAUNCEY, b. April 13, 1831, in Gainesville, N. Y.
165. iv. MARY JANE, b. April 14, 1834, in Gainesville, N. Y.
166. v. MARTHA ELIZA, b. Dec. 30, 1836, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- vi. JULIAETTE, b. May 15, 1839, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Oct. 18, 1840, ae. 1 yr., 5 mos., 3 ds.
167. vii. JULIA A., b. Aug. 9, 1841, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- viii. AUGUSTUS F., b. June 19, 1844, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Aug. 11, 1865, ae. 21 yrs., 1 mo., 23 ds., at his father's home.
- ix. MORRIS, b. March 10, 1848, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. March 31, 1848, ae. 3 wks.

- ✓86. ELISHA⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 27, 1825, Hannah Patterson, b. in Tully, Onondaga Co., N. Y., dau. of William and Hannah (Hoag) Patterson of Gainesville, N. Y. Mrs. Hannah (Patterson) Brainerd d. April 25, 1838, in Gainesville. He m. (2), Oct. 25, 1838, Mary Millen, b. Jan. 2, 1818, in Pelham, Mass., dau. of Ira and Patty (Jones) Millen. He was a farmer, living on a portion of the old homestead till his death. Mrs. Mary (Millen) Brainerd d. Oct. 27, 1872, ae. 54 yrs., 8 mos., 25 ds. Mr. Elisha Brainerd d. Sept. 24, 1874, ae. 73 yrs., 2 mos., 10 ds., in Gainesville, N. Y.

Children by the first marriage :

- i. HORACE FRANKLIN, b. Dec. 16, 1827, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Dec. 26, 1827, ae. 10 ds.

- ii. OLIVER AUGUSTUS, b. May 23, 1829, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. May 23, 1829.
- 168. iii. CORNELIA ELIZABETH, b. June 29, 1830, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 169. iv. JULIA EMELINE, b. April 10, 1833, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 170. v. MARY ADALINE, b. Feb. 22, 1835, in Gainesville, N. Y.

Children by the second marriage:

- 171. vi. JAMES MARTIN, b. Aug. 2, 1842, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 172. vii. WILBUR Elisha, b. Oct. 20, 1845, in Gainesville, N. Y.

87. LUKE⁵ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 6, 1831, Rucksbe Cole, b. Jan. 13, 1812, in Canandaigua, N. Y., dau. of Southworth and Mary (Adams) Cole. He was a farmer, living in the town of Pike, also a school teacher and carpenter. He was a builder in Gainesville, N. Y. Mr. Luke Brainerd d. Aug. 11, 1849, ac. 45 yrs., 11 mos. She m. (?), Jacob Hiller, who d. Mrs. Rucksbe (Cole) (Brainerd) Hiller d. Feb. 24, 1901.

Children:

- i. LYMAN, b. May 27, 1835, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Oct. 22, 1837, ac. 2 yrs., 4 mos., 25 ds.
- 173. ii. FRANKLIN AUGUSTUS, b. May 5, 1837, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 174. iii. LYMAN L., b. Sept. 5, 1844, in Pike, N. Y.

88. STEPHEN⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., March 6, 1828, Jemima Helmer, b. Nov. 23, 1808, dau. of John and Elizabeth (Elmer) Helmer. He was a farmer, living on a portion of the old Brainerd homestead in Gainesville, N. Y. He was for many years deacon in the Congregational Church, where they were both members. Mr. Stephen Brainerd d. March 22, 1819, ac. 13 yrs., 11 mos., 5 ds. Mrs. Jemima (Helmer) Brainerd d. Dec. 31, 1886, ac. 78 yrs., 1 mo., 8 ds.

Children:

- 175. i. LORENZO, b. Feb. 26, 1829, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. HELEN AMANDA, b. Nov. 23, 1830, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. July 30, 1859; a good scholar and exemplary Christian woman.
- 176. iii. ADDISON H., b. July 26, 1834, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 177. iv. JULIA MARIA, b. Feb. 16, 1839, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 178. v. JAMES FRANKLIN, b. Sept. 24, 1842, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- 179. vi. EDGAR H., b. Feb. 16, 1849, in Gainesville, N. Y.

89. EZRA STYLES ELY⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 28, 1830, Sabrina Woodard, b. April 17, 1810, in Ellisburg, Jefferson Co., N. Y., dau. of John and Sabrina (Tucker) Woodard. He was a farmer and removed about 1837 to Algansee, Branch Co., Mich. He was blind. Mrs. Sabrina (Woodard) Brainerd d. Sept. 26, 1889. Mr. Ezra Styles Ely Brainerd d. April 21, 1890.

Children:

180. i. FRANCES L., b. July 21, 1831, in Gainesville, N. Y.
181. ii. MAHLON W., b. April 23, 1834, in Gainesville, N. Y.
182. iii. CAROLINE L., b. Sept. 28, 1838, in Alganzee, Mich.
183. iv. RUCKSBE JANETTE, b. July 15, 1840, in Alganzee, Mich.
184. v. AUGUSTA A., b. April 28, 1842, in Alganzee, Mich.
185. vi. CORLAN E., b. June 2, 1844, in Alganzee, Mich.
186. vii. SCOVEL GERMAINE, b. Jan. 16, 1850, in Alganzee, Mich.

90. AUGUSTUS FERDINAND⁵ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., June 9, 1847, Helen Maria Cary, b. in Alexander, N. Y., Dec. 21, 1830, dau. of Abigence Waldo and Caroline (Tracy) Cary of Brockport, N. Y. The heavy and laborious work of clearing the farm not being in harmony with his idea of life, he left home at the age of 15 years, and soon was employed by Abigence Waldo Cary, whose son-in-law he afterwards became, as well as partner in business. After his father-in-law's death he became sole proprietor of the hardware store and of the pump factory.

After living at Mr. Cary's 6 or 7 yrs., a dau. was born to A. W. Cary and Caroline his wife. While she was yet being rocked in the cradle Augustus declared his intention of waiting for her and making her his wife. He worked and waited, and waited and worked until June 9, 1847, when she became his wife. He had a stroke of paralysis which rendered him helpless many years before his death. He lived and died at Brockport, Monroe Co., N. Y. Mrs. Helen Maria (Cary) Brainerd d. July 10, 1865, ae. 34 yrs., 6 mos., 19 ds. Mr. Augustus Ferdinand Brainerd d. Jan. 28, 1881, ae. 73 yrs., 1 mo., 27 ds.

Children:

- i. HELEN CAROLINE, b. March 24, 1854, in Brockport, N. Y.; d. Dec. 4, 1854, ae. 18 mos.
- ii. JENNIE CECILIA, b. Nov. 4, 1855 or 1856, in Brockport, N. Y.; d. Oct. 1, 1880, ae. 24 yrs., 10 mos., 27 ds.
- iii. WALDO ELISHA, b. March 16, 1863, in Brockport, N. Y.; d. Sept. 19, 1883, ae. 20 yrs., 6 mos., 3 ds., in Rochester, N. Y. He was an honest and industrious young man, of good habits and good business qualifications. He was a clerk in a hardware store.

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91. WELLS⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 15, 1838, Phebe Smith, b. April 4, 1820, in Orangeville, Wyoming Co., N. Y., dau. of Chauncey and Phebe (Buxton) Smith. Mrs. Phebe (Smith) Brainerd d. March 18, 1855, in her 35th yr., in Gainesville, N. Y. He m. (2), Oct. 28, 1855, Jerusha Webster, b. Dec. 4, 1820, dau. of Amos and () Webster of Warsaw, N. Y. He was a farmer in Gainesville till 1857, when he moved to Wethersfield, Wyoming Co., N. Y. He sold his

farm and returned to Gainesville Creek, N. Y., where he lived till his death. While on his way east, in 1881, he stopped at a hotel in Rochester, N. Y., and was found nearly suffocated with gas. He revived and returned to his home. He was an active, energetic man, and was a carpenter as well as a farmer, and a man of great decision of character, prompt and reliable in business as well as in church matters, in which he showed great interest and where his helping hand and energy of character will be greatly missed. He and his wife were members of the Methodist Episcopal Church. His sudden death brought sorrow to the hearts of stricken children and relatives and to the church of which he was so zealous a member, and where he had been so well and favorably known. Mrs. Jerusha (Webster) Brainerd d. Sept. 19, 1881, *ae.* 60 yrs., 9 mos., 15 ds. Mr. Wells Brainerd d. Dec. 26, 1881, *ae.* 67 yrs., 7 mos., 19 ds.

Children by the first marriage:

187. i. LAURA ANN, b. Nov. 23, 1840, in Gainesville, N. Y.
188. ii. ACHSAH, b. March 16, 1842, in Gainesville, N. Y.
189. iii. MARY, b. July 3, 1844, in Gainesville, N. Y.
190. iv. ELLEN, b. Sept. 20, 1846, in Gainesville, N. Y.
191. v. FRANCIS, b. Nov. 14, 1848, in Gainesville, N. Y.
192. vi. ADELL, b. Oct. 23, 1854, in Gainesville, N. Y.

Child by the second marriage:

193. vii. WALTER, b. Jan. 2, 1862, in Wethersfield, N. Y.

92. MARY ANN⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 26, 1846, Chauncey Smith, b. March 23, 1811, son of Chauncey and Phœbe (Buxton) Smith. Mr. Chauncey Smith d. March 23, 1855, *ae.* 44 yrs. She m. (2), Sept. 9, 1855, William S. Knapp, b. Oct. 24, 1805, in Orwell, Vt., son of Samuel R. and Betsey (Seymour) Knapp. He lived at Curwensville, Wyoming Co., N. Y. He was an honored member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, as well as his wife, she being highly respected and beloved by all who knew her. She was living, June, 1888, in Gainesville, N. Y. Mr. William S. Knapp d. Feb. 12, 1888, *ae.* 82 yrs., 3 mos., 18 ds. Mrs. Mary Ann (Brainerd) (Smith) Knapp d.

Smith child by the first marriage:

- i. MADISON, b. June 2, 1849, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. June 29, 1855, *ae.* 6 yrs., 27 ds.

93. JULIA ANN⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 26, 1842, Charles Evans Thayer, b. Nov. 22, 1815, in Heath, Franklin Co., Mass., son of David and Susan (Haven) Thayer (by J. M. Ballou). He was a farmer,

then bookkeeper, and also a good veterinary. They lived in Gainesville, then moved to Castle, Wyoming Co., N. Y., and from thence to Stanton, Montcalm Co., Mich., where he died. Mr. Charles Evans Thayer d. Dec. 30, 1879, ae. 64 yrs., 1 mo., 8 ds. Mrs. Julia Ann (Brainerd) Thayer d. April 27, 1901, in Oakland, Cal.

Thayer children:

- i. SUSAN MARIAN, b. Oct. 16, 1844, in Gainesville, N. Y.; m. Jan. 30, 1867, Edwin Kleber Wood, b. Feb. 12, 1840, son of Cheney and Laura S. (Brown) Wood of East Pike, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; a merchant and engaged in the sawmill and pine lumber business. Ch.: 1. Frederick J., b. July 2, 1869, in Stanton, Mich. 2. Blanche Theresa, b. May 6, 1871; d. Aug. 21, 1871. 3. Amy (Houser), adopted, b. Feb. 7, 1871. 4. Walter, b. June 23, 1875.
- ii. CLARENCE ALLEN, b. Jan. 8, 1852, in Brighton, Monroe Co., N. Y.; m. Sept. 8, 1875, in Castile, N. Y., Clara J. George, b. Nov. 22, 1854, in Rushford, N. Y. Soon after marriage he moved to Stanton, Mich., and engaged in mercantile business. In 1886 he removed to Kansas and engaged in the same business. Ch.: 1. Louis J., b. April 3, 1877; d. July 23, 1877. 2. Mabel Agnes, b. Aug. 4, 1878. 3. Gertrude Julia, b. Feb. 6, 1881. All b. in Stanton, Mich.

94. PHILANDER⁶ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y., m., Oct. 26, 1846, Clarissa Winslow Russell, b. April 7, 1823, dau. of James and Rachel (Hammond) Russell of Gainesville, N. Y. They resided the first few years in Wyoming and Cattaraugus Co., N. Y. In the spring of 1849 they removed to the town of Sharon, Walworth Co., Wis., upon a tract of government land while Wisconsin was yet a territory. They resided on their farm about six years, when they returned to Gainesville, N. Y., where they resided June, 1888. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He has had a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Clarissa Winslow (Russell) Brainerd d. Nov. 10, 1898. Mr. Philander Brainerd d. ———.

Children:

194. i. JAMES ELISHA, b. June 27, 1848, in Machias, N. Y.
 195. ii. RACHEL ANN, b. Aug. 2, 1852, in Sharon, Wis.
 196. iii. AUGUSTA JANE, b. Dec. 24, 1855, in Gainesville, N. Y.
 197. iv. NELLIE OCTAVA, b. June 8, 1858, in Gainesville, N. Y.
95. ORVILLE HALE⁶ BRAINERD (*David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich; m., Oct. 9, 1859 (by S. A. Flint, justice of the peace), Mrs. Electa (Phelps) Erwin, b. May 10, 1807, in Penn., dau. of Rosel and Lydia (Right) Phelps, and widow of Dr. Samuel Erwin of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich. He was a mason by trade and resided in Jackson, Jackson Co., Mich. Mr. Orville Hale Brainerd d.

No children.

96. LUCY ANN BANCROFT⁶ BRAINARD (*David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m., Jan. 1, 1835, Myrtle B. H. High, b. Nov. 30, 1805, son of William and Lovisa () High of Kingsbury, Washington Co., N. Y. They were married in the village of Jordan, Onondaga Co., N. Y., by Elder Wright, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was a tailor by trade, then studied law and became a successful lawyer. Mr. Myrtle B. H. High d. Oct. 12, 1876, in Wear, Oceana Co., Mich. Mrs. Lucy Ann Bancroft (Brainard) High d.

High children:

- i. LUTHER CHARLES, b. Dec. 15, 1835, in Lysander, N. Y.; m. Amelia F. ———. He d. Dec. 14, 1872, in Wear, Mich. His widow, Amelia F., and two children, are living in Manistee, Mich.
- ii. SOPHRONIA, b. Aug. 2, 1841, in Parma, Mich.; d. Sept. 15, 1841.
- iii. LOVISA, b. April 18, 1843, in Smithfield, Mich.; m. in Wear, Mich. (by her father, justice of the peace), May 25, 1859, Henry Mullen, b. Oct., 1835. She d. June 11, 1860, in Wear, Mich. Ch.: Henry Charles, b. June 11, 1860, in Wear, Mich.
- iv. ANGELINE, b. July 22, 1846, in Smithfield, Mich.; m. Nov. 20, 1865, her brother-in-law, Henry Mullen of Wear, Mich.
- v. LUCY ANN, b. June 26, 1849, in Clarendon, Mich.
- vi. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 15, 1852, in Homer, Mich.; d. Dec. 14, 1852.

97. DAVID DAY⁶ BRAINARD (*David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m., March 11, 1850, Sarah Melissa Vanderbognart, b. April 10, 1832, at New Castle, Erie Co., N. Y. (by Elder Cheney), dau. of Nicholas Pans and Sarah Julia (Terry) Vanderbognart of Clarendon, Mich. He was a mason and farmer. Mr. David Day Brainard d. March 5, 1872, in Clarendon, Mich., and was buried in the Vanderbognart cemetery. Mrs. Sarah Melissa (Vanderbognart) Brainard d.

Children:

198. i. ELIZABETH ISABELLE, b. Nov. 4, 1852, in Clarendon, Mich.
199. ii. EVA CLARILLA, b. Oct. 15, 1854, in Clarendon, Mich.
200. iii. ADALINE LARRETTA, b. Feb. 22, 1858, in Clarendon, Mich.
201. iv. MYLA MALINDA, b. March 9, 1861, in Clarendon, Mich.

98. CLARIA MARIA⁶ BRAINARD (*David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m. (by Elder Stacy, pastor of the Universalist church), April 15, 1837, George Washington Mitchell, in Ann Arbor, Mich., b. May 22, 1818, in Sullivan, Madison Co., N. Y., son of . He was a farmer. Mr. George Washington Mitchell d. Aug. 15, 1847, and is buried in the cemetery on Cook's Prairie, Clarendon, Mich. She m. (2), Oct. 16, 1852, Ashable Cadwell, b. Aug. 18, 1800, son of . He was a farmer. Mr.

Ashable Cadwell d. Oct. 21, 1853, and was buried by the side of her first husband. She m. (3), Nov. 20, 1858, George W. Marshall, b. Aug. 14, 1820, in Madison Co., N. Y., son of Elijah and Rachel () Marshall of Clarendon, Mich. He moved to Kansas in 1859, with his family. He was a farmer and carpenter. Mr. George W. Marshall d. Feb. 28, 1876, in Frankfort, Marshall Co., Kansas. Mrs. Claria Maria (Brainerd) (Mitchell) (Cadwell) Marshall d.

Mitchell children by the first marriage:

- i. MELISSA AMELIA, b. Aug. 3, 1838, in Clarendon, Mich.; m. July 3, 1858, Harvey R. Randall, b. Sept. 13, 1838. They moved to Marshall Co., Kans., in 1859. He d. April 6, 1862, in Marshall Co., Kans. Ch.: 1. Claria Alma, b. Nov. 25, 1859; d. June 8, 1863. 2. Harvey C., b. Nov. 6, 1861; m. Mich. 22, 1888, Mary Rose, dau. of Albert and Louisa Rose of Florence, Colo. She m. (2), Nov. 27, 1865, Charles B. Haslett, in Marshall Co., Kans. Ch.: 3. Myla May, b. Nov. 19, 1866; m. Jan. 1, 1884, Ezra M. Robinson of Frankfort, Marshall Co., Kans., son of Miles and Mary Ann Robinson; res. Susquehanna Co., Penn.; a farmer. Ch.: i. Elmer O., b. March 16, 1887. 4. George Henry, b. April 20, 1871. 5. Edwin Elliot, b. Jan. 11, 1874; d. Sept. 7, 1875. 6. Ira Omer, b. Aug. 20, 1875. All b. in Marshall Co., Kans.
- ii. EDWIN GEORGE, b. Jan. 22, 1840, in Clarendon, Mich.; m. May 15, 1874, Frances Travis, b. June 13, 1854, in Belle Prairie, Hamilton Co., Ill., dau. of Martin M. and Eliza Travis. Ch.: 1. Gispeth, b. April 29, 1875. 2. George Claton, b. July 9, 1887, in Fairbury, Ill.
- iii. MYLA MALINDA, b. Feb. 17, 1843, in Clarendon, Mich.; m., April 15, 1865, Charles M. Bartlett, in the town of Wolf River, Doniphan Co., Kans.; b. Dec. 7, 1838, in Augusta, Me., son of Ambrose H. and Sophronia A. Bartlett. She was divorced and m. (2), Mich. 28, 1884, Reuben Herrick, son of John and Margaret Herrick of Pulaski, N. Y., an expressman; res. Blue Rapids, Kans. Ch. by the first m.: 1. Claria M., b. Feb. 8, 1870. 2. Orville O., b. Aug. 6, 1873. Both b. in Vermillion, Marshall Co., Kans. Ch. by 2d m.: 3. Florence V., b. March 18, 1888, in Blue Rapids, Kans.
- iv. NANCY MARIA, b. May 15, 1845, in Clarendon, Mich.; d. June 21, 1851, and buried at Cooks Prairie, Clarendon Co., Mich.

99. ORRIN WILLIAM⁶ BRAINARD (*David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m., July 12, 1849 (by Henry R. Cook, notary public), Sarah Marilla Putnam, b. Sept. 3, 1831, dau. of Cornelius and Adeline (Nevins) Putnam of Clarendon, Mich. He is a mason and farmer in Clarendon. Mr. Orrin William Brainard d. . Mrs. Sarah Marilla (Putnam) Brainard d.

Children:

202. i. ADELVIA PHYLISTA, b. May 10, 1850, in Clarendon, Mich.
203. ii. ALICE ELMORA, b. Oct. 15, 1853, in Clarendon, Mich.
204. iii. FRANK WILLIS, b. Jan. 1, 1856, in Clarendon, Mich.
- iv. ELSTON JAMES, b. July 1, 1872, in Clarendon, Mich.; a farmer.

100. STEPHEN DAY⁶ BRAINARD (*Reuben⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) Westchester Soc., town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., March 6, 1856, Elizabeth Brown, b. Sept. 1, 1833, dau. of William and Elizabeth (Smith) Brown of Westchester, Conn. He was school committee in 1853. A farmer, living in Westchester. His last years were spent on the farm owned by the late Amaziah Brainerd, and where Stephen Brainerd, his ancestor and the first one bearing that name in Westchester, lived. Mr. Stephen Day Brainerd d. May 1, 1863, ae. 49 yrs., 8 mos., 21 ds., and is buried in the cemetery in the Southwest district, in Westchester. Mrs. Elizabeth (Brown) Brainerd d.

No children.

101. JERUSHA⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m. May 6, 1823, Alfred Kellogg, b. Feb. 16, 1797, son of Martin and Rachel (Hosford) Kellogg of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn. He lived in Tartia district, East Hampton, Conn. He was a farmer. Mrs. Jerusha (Brainerd) Kellogg d. Nov. 6, 1828, ae. 28 yrs., 2 mos., 6 ds. He m. (2), April 24, 1830, Philena Higgins-Carrier, b. March 14, 1806, in Marlborough, Conn. Five children by this marriage. Mr. Alfred Kellogg d. March 7, 1859, ae. 62 yrs., 21 ds. Mrs. Philena Higgins (Carrier) Kellogg d. Dec. 22, 1864, ae. 59 yrs.

No children.

102. NATHANIEL FOOTE⁶ BRAINARD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., March 25, 1834 (by Rev. Joseph Harvey), Lucy Brainard Staples, b. May 24, 1811, dau. of Joseph and Susannah (Brainard) Staples of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer in Westchester. Mrs. Lucy Brainard (Staples) Brainard d. Aug. 3, 1877, ae. 66 yrs., 2 mos., 10 ds. Mr. Nathaniel Foote Brainard d. Jan. 9, 1878, ae. 76 yrs., 4 mos., 19 ds.

Children:

- i. AMASA STAPLES, b. April 30, 1835, in Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer, but retired from business. He lived in the village of Colchester. He d. June 2, 1902.
- ii. ARNOLD, b. Oct. 16, 1837, in Westchester, Conn.; d. March 9, 1838.
- iii. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 11, 1841, in Westchester, Conn.; d. July 4, 1844.
- iv. ANN, b. Feb. 2, 1849, in Colchester, Conn.; unm.; lives in Colchester Village.

103. LUCY DAY⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Sept. 16, 1824, William Brainerd,

b. Oct. 29, 1795, son of Bezaleel and Lydia (Deming) Brainerd of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn. He was a farmer, and owned and ran a sawmill in East Haddam, where he lived. Mrs. Lucy Day (Brainerd) Brainerd d. May 10, 1857, ae. 52 yrs., 6 mos., 6 ds. Mr. William Brainerd d. May 15, 1864, ae. 68 yrs., 6 mos., 17 ds.

Brainerd children:

- i. WILLIAM ORRIN, b. April 25, 1829, in East Haddam, Conn.
- ii. ABIGAIL LUCINDA, b. Jan. 1, 1835, in East Haddam, Conn.; umm.

104. ABIGAIL LUCINDA⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Sept. 26, 1832, Samuel Ackley Brainerd, b. May 10, 1807, son of Stephen and Olive (Ackley) Brainerd of East Hamilton, N. Y., formerly from Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer in East Hamilton. Mrs. Abigail Lucinda (Brainerd) Brainerd d. Aug. 30, 1834, ae. 27 yrs., 1 mo., 3 ds. Mr. Samuel Ackley Brainerd d. March 26, 1864, ae. 56 yrs., 10 mos., 10 ds.

No children.

105. WILLIAM⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., July 13, 1837 (by James A. Abell) Eliza Carrier, b. Aug. 13, or 20, 1813, dau. of David and Fruin (Carrier) Carrier of Westchester, Conn. She was a school teacher. Mrs. Eliza (Carrier) Brainerd d. Aug. 22, or 23, 1852, ae. 39 yrs., 11 mos., 15 ds. He m. (2), May 4, 1853, Rhoda Day Staples, b. Nov. 18, 1809, dau. of Joseph and Susannah (Brainerd) Staples, his cousin. He was an auctioneer for many years in New York city; he then returned to Westchester, his native place, and became a farmer. He was collector in 1874-77, justice of the peace in 1881, selectman and grand juror in 1875-76, assessor in 1878. Mrs. Rhoda Day (Staples) Brainerd d. April 28, 1873, ae. 63 yrs., 5 mos., 10 ds. Mr. William Brainerd d. Feb. 25, 1882, ae. 72 yrs., 2 ds.

Children by the first marriage:

- i. WILLIAM, b. Jan. 14, 1839, in New York city, N. Y.; entered Tufts College near Boston, Mass.; studied law and was admitted to practice in Rochester, Minn. He has spent many years teaching; is now in Rochester, and edits a small paper (1906).
205. ii. AMAZIAH, b. June 18, 1841, in New York city, N. Y.
206. iii. JAMES NELSON, b. Oct. 9, 1847, in Westchester, Conn.
207. iv. LEVERETT, b. Feb. 21, 1852, in Westchester, Conn.
- v. EVERETT, b. Feb. 21, 1852, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Aug. 13, 1852, ae. 6 mos.

- 106.** CLARISSA LOOMIS⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 27, 1834, Stephen Brainerd Day, b. Nov. 2, 1808, son of Asa and Anna (Marvin) Day of Westchester, Conn. He was school committee, justice of the peace, chosen on the board of relief, and was representative in 1848 and 1849 to the Connecticut Legislature. He was a farmer in Westchester, and owned and ran a sawmill. Mr. Stephen Brainerd Day d. Dec. 4, 1866, ae. 58 yrs., 1 mo., 2 ds. Mrs. Clarissa Loomis (Brainerd) Day d. Dec. 13, 1902, ae. 88 yrs., 4 mos., 24 ds.

Day children:

- i. HOBART, b. Jan. 4, 1837, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Jan. 4, 1837.
- ii. ABBY LUCINDA, b. Aug. 4, 1838, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Dec. 6, 1838.
- iii. EVERETT WILBUR, b. May 25, 1840, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Nov. 24, 1870, Annie Elizabeth Jewett, b. in Westchester, Conn., dau. of Rev. Spofford D. and Abigail (Shipman) Jewett of Middfield, Conn., formerly pastor of the Cong. Ch. in Westchester, Conn. He is a farmer, living at Westchester, Conn. She d. Nov. 19, 1884, ae. 35 yrs. Ch.: 1. Harriet Abigail, b. Sept. 11, 1871. 2. William Jewett, b. Oct. 5, 1873. 3. Louis Everett, b. June 12, 1881. 4. Carrie Barton, b. April 29, 1883. All b. in Westchester, Conn.
- iv. MARGARET FOOTE, b. May 23, 1843, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Nov. 27, 1862, Albert Franklyn Peck, b. April 26, 1839, son of Frank and Sophia (Swan) Peck of Millington, Conn. He d. June 30, 1889, ae. 50 yrs., 2 mos., 4 ds. He was a farmer and engineer living in Millington, Conn. Ch.: 1. Frank Day, b. Jan. 23, 1874; d. April 6, 1875, ae. 1 yr., 2 mos., 13 ds. 2. Clara Sophia, b. Nov. 15, 1876. 3. Margaret Alberta, b. June 8, 1880. All b. in Millington, Conn.
- v. ALMIRA SHELTON, b. Nov. 14, 1846, in Westchester, Conn.; m. June 15, 1875, Isaac Cross, Jr., b. May 11, 1840, son of Rev. Isaac and Mary (Baker) Cross of Washington, D. C., where they went to be married. She was his second wife. He was secretary of the State Mutual Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., but on the death of his uncle Mr. Ralph Gillett he was made president of the company. He resided in Hartford, Conn. He d. May 9, 1905. Ch.: 1. Isaac Harry, b. April 30, 1877. 2. Charles Maro, b. June 17, 1879. 3. Mary Alice, b. April 23, 1881, m. June 28, 1905, Charles Albert Zipp, Jr., of Hartford, Conn. She is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass., and he is a graduate of the Y. M. C. A. Training School, Springfield, Mass. They reside in Hartford. 4. Marion Clarissa, and 5. Myra Day (twins), b. Nov. 5, 1886. All b. in Hartford.
- vi. ROXY MEROA, b. Sept. 6, 1849, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Dec. 29, 1874, Theodore Dwight Peck, b. April 12, 1847, son of Daniel Yerington and Maria (Olmsted) Peck of Millington, Conn. He was a farmer in that place. In 1905 he lived in Westchester, Conn. Ch.: 1. Maria Day, b. Nov. 25, 1875. 2. Edward Theodore, b. Feb. 27, 1878. 3. George Abbe, b. May 8, 1879. All b. in Millington, Conn.
- vii. STEPHEN BRAINERD, b. Oct. 19, 1853, in Westchester, Conn.; d. June 1, 1854.

- viii. STEPHEN BRAINERD, b. May 13, 1855, in Westchester, Conn.; m. May 14, 1881, Minnie Elizabeth Skinner, b. Aug. 26, 1859, dau. of Lewis Philo and Mary Elizabeth (Avery) Skinner of Westchester, Conn. She d. Dec. 30, 1887, ae. 28 yrs., 3 mos., 4 ds., in Hartford, Conn., and was buried in the cemetery in Center District in Westchester, Conn. No ch. He d. Jan., 1907; drowned himself.

107. ASA⁶ BRAINARD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., March 15, 1846, Susan Elizabeth Buell,* b. Jan. 11, 1830, dau. of David and Mary Octavia (Day) Buell of Westchester, Conn. He was a member of the board of relief in 1868, justice of the peace in 1879-82, grand juror in 1884, assessor in 1879-82-86. He was a farmer in Westchester. Mr. Asa Brainerd d. April 25, 1898, ae. 81 yrs., 4 mos., 1 d. Mrs. Susan Elizabeth (Buell) Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. EDWARD PAYSON, b. Aug. 11, 1848, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Nov. 7, 1871, ae. 23 yrs., 2 mos., 26 ds.; unm. An earnest and capable young man whose untimely death was sincerely mourned by relatives and friends.
208. ii. LEORA, b. March 31, 1851, in Westchester, Conn.
209. iii. CORINNE, b. July 29, 1853, in Westchester, Conn.
210. iv. LYMAN BUSHNELL, b. March 27, 1856, in Westchester, Conn.
211. v. ASA, b. May 7, 1859, in Westchester, Conn.
212. vi. CHARLES, b. Nov. 9, 1861, in Westchester, Conn.
- vii. ROBERT FELLOWS, b. April 10, 1866, in Westchester, Conn.; d. March, 1894, in Florence, Italy. He studied art four yrs. in New Haven, Conn., and two yrs. in New York city. He was elected a member of the Art League in New York, May 2, 1891. He graduated second in his class. He then went to Paris, France, to continue his art studies, where he remained two yrs. After completing his studies, while traveling on the Continent, he was taken with typhoid fever and died. He was expecting to establish himself in New York city in pursuit of his profession.
- viii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 15, 1869, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Aug. 25, 1887, ae. 17 yrs. A young lady of fine scholarly attainments, and had been engaged for two yrs. in teaching in the public school in Westchester, Conn. She was a prominent member of the Good Templars Society.

108. HARRIET ATWOOD⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., March 7, 1866, Seymour Kellogg, b. Aug. 29, 1808, son of Titus and Betsey (Clark) Kellogg of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer at Westchester. His first wife was Jane Whitmore, who d. Sept. 16, 1865. She was one of 14 daughters, all of whom were married in the order of their ages. She was from Leesville, East Haddam, Conn. Mr. Seymour Kellogg d. April 2, 1868, ae. 59 yrs., 8 mos. Mrs. Harriet Atwood (Brainerd) Kellogg d. Oct. 24, 1895, in Westchester, Conn.

No children.

* Susan Elizabeth Buell was great granddaughter of Susannah Brainerd, wife of Joseph Day, Jr., and granddaughter of Asa and Anna (Marvin) Day of Westchester.

109. SAMUEL NEWELL⁶ BRAINERD (*William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m. May 22, 1853, Charlotte Fidelia Williams, b. April 10, 1830, in Westchester, Conn., dau. of Sparrow and Rebecca (Carrier) Williams of Westchester, town of Chatham, Middlesex Co., Conn. He was chosen many years in succession for the following offices, viz.: grand juror, justice of the peace, assessor, selectman, and notary public. He was a farmer in Westchester, living on the homestead of his father. Mr. Samuel Newell Brainerd d. March 19, 1893. Mrs. Charlotte Fidelia (Williams) Brainerd d. Mch. 12, 1907, ae. 76 yrs., 11 mos., 2 ds.

Children:

213. i. ROXY MEROA, b. March 30, 1855, in Westchester, Conn.
 214. ii. SAMUEL NEWELL, b. Aug. 28, 1856, in Westchester, Conn.
 iii. FREDERICK WILLIAM, b. Jan. 18, 1858, in Westchester, Conn.; d. Jan. 20, 1867, ae. 9 yrs., 2 ds.
 iv. HOBERT DAY, b. Nov. 2, 1859, in Westchester, Conn.; d. June 22, 1860.
 v. HOBERT DAY, b. March 21, 1861, in Westchester, Conn.; d. March 8, 1862.
 214a. vi. STEPHEN DAY, b. Aug. 21, 1864, in Westchester, Conn. He is 6 feet and 3 inches tall. He is a farmer in Westchester, Conn.
 215. vii. CHARLOTTE FIDELIA, b. March 23, 1870, in Westchester, Conn.

110. SARAH S.⁶ BRAINERD (*Elijah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., March 15, 1827, Hiram H. Green, b. 1799, in Galway, Saratoga Co., N. Y., son of Roland Green. He was a farmer in Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y. Mr. Hiram H. Green d. in 1857. Mrs. Sarah S. (Brainerd) Green d. Sept. 20, 1883, ae. 77 yrs., 8 mos., 15 ds.

Green children:

- i. MORDANT M., b. Nov. 28, 1827, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. Oct. 21, 1857, Millie P. Locke, dau. of Horace Locke of Waterville, N. Y.; res. Louisville, Ky.
 ii. ROSANNA, b. Jan. 5, 1830, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. July 1, 1870; unm.
 iii. LAVELLO B., b. May 15, 1832, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. Oct. 4, 1870, Lillie McCown, dau. of Rev. B. H. McCown of Louisville, Ky. Ch: 1. b. ———; d. at birth. Res. Louisville, Ky.
 iv. CORINTHA, b. Oct. 5, 1834, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. Oct. 1, 1856, N. Sidney Platte, b. ———, son of Rev. M. S. Platte of Hamilton, N. Y. He was proprietor of a gent's furnishing store in Louisville, Ky., where he d. in 1889. His widow still resides there.
 v. LAURISTON B., b. Nov. 17, 1837, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. June 1, 1870, Mrs. Olivia H. (Johnson) Parks, dau. of D. W. Johnson of Cleveland, Ohio. He is a farmer at East Hamilton, N. Y.
 vi. VICTORIA, b. Feb. 16, 1840, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. July 12, 1849.
 vii. A son, b. in Poolville, N. Y.; d. soon.



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viii. A son, b. in Poolville, N. Y.; d. soon.

ix. CARLTON D., b. Feb. 9, 1847, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. Jan. 6, 1869, Flora M. Wells, dau. of Hiram Wells of Earlville, N. Y. He is a physician; res. Poolville, N. Y. He d. 1897.

- ✓111. WILLIAM G.⁶ BRAINERD (*Elijah*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 12, 1830 (by Rev. H. P. Bogue), Eliza Hale, b. May 26, 1809, dau. of Israel and Clarissa (Brown) Hale of Norwich, Chenango Co., N. Y. He was a farmer at Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y. Mr. William G. Brainerd d. March 31, 1859, ae. 50 yrs., 10 mos., 24 ds. Mrs. Eliza (Hale) Brainerd d. 1891.

Children:

216. i. MARY A., b. April 21, 1832, in Poolville, N. Y.
 ii. ELLEN C., b. July 19, 1835, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. Jan. 28, 1857.
 iii. ERNESTINE M., b. May 3, 1837, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. Oct. 5, 1856.
 217. iv. SARAH E., b. June 17, 1839, in Poolville, N. Y.
 v. WILLIAM M., b. July 1, 1846, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. Feb. 28, 1847.

- ✓112. ELIJAH⁶ BRAINERD (*Elijah*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., May 25, 1836, Lucy C. Bevin, b. March 17, 1814, dau. of Stephen and Polly (Brown) Bevin. He was a farmer, in East Hamilton, N. Y. Mr. Elijah Brainerd d. Oct. 7, 1865, ae. 55 yrs., 4 ds. (Oct. 10, by town records, Colchester), while on a visit to friends and relatives in Westchester, Conn. His body was taken to East Hamilton for burial. Mrs. Lucy C. (Bevin) Brainerd d. Aug. 1, 1896, in Earlville, N. Y.

Children:

218. i. FLOYD L., b. June 19, 1837, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 219. ii. EVERETT, b. Nov. 15, 1841, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
 220. iii. CHARLOISE WILLIAM, b. Jan. 1, 1844, in East Hamilton, N. Y.

- ✓113. OLIVER DAY⁶ BRAINERD (*Ezra*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 13, 1826, Eliza Beebe, b. June 21, 1801, dau. of Jehiel and Lydia (Fox) Beebe of Millington, Conn. He was a farmer and hop grower in East Hamilton, N. Y. She was a remarkable woman in many respects; a person possessed of good financial judgment and ability, and of wonderful will power, which was seldom equaled, believing there was no use giving up and taking to the bed for every ache and pain, but that if a person would exert a little more will power and have a little more determination many diseases could be conquered. Her theory was put in practice and the century mark was nearly reached. When married her husband and herself went to New York state in the usual mode of traveling at that time, with an ox

team. Mr. Oliver Day Brainerd d. July 10, 1875, ae. 75 yrs., 10 mos., 12 ds. Mrs. Eliza (Beebe) Brainerd d. April 25, 1901, ae. 99 yrs., 9 mos., 4 ds.

Child:

221. i. MARCIA L., b. Oct. 16, 1833, in East Hamilton, N. Y.

114. OLIVE⁶ BRAINERD (*Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.: m., Nov. 28, 1830, Horace Usher, b. Nov. 22, 1801, son of Robert and Lucy (Brainerd) Usher of East Hamilton, N. Y. He was a farmer and hop grower in that place. Mr. Horace Usher d. Sept. 29, 1879, ae. 77 yrs., 9 mos., 7 ds. Mrs. Olive (Brainerd) Usher d. March 9, 1884, ae. 89 yrs., 3 mos., 22 ds.

Usher children:

- i. EZRA CORYDON, b. Jan. 28, 1832, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Aug. 28, 1851, Betsey N. Nye, dau. of Thomas and Anne (Goldsmith) Nye. They were among the first settlers of Fremont, Neb., where they lived. He was a ticket-seller in a railroad office. He d. March 3, 1897.
- ii. OLIVE SUCYNE, b. Sept. 2, 1833, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. May 7, 1843.
- iii. ALMIRA MARITTA, b. April 6, 1837, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; unm. She was governess for many years in a private family in Atlanta, Ga., before the late Civil War. She now resides with her brother, Robert Melville Usher, in Waterville, N. Y.
- iv. HORACE GUERT GANSEVOORT, b. Dec. 7, 1842, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Oct. 9, 1867, Elizabeth Tinker, dau. of Thomas and Helen (Marsh) Tinker. He had been in the employ of the Penn. R. R. Co. more than 35 years, and at the time of his death was chief clerk of the Empire Line. He was many years a member of the school board, where he rendered excellent public service, and for the past three years served as its president. He was held in high esteem by his associates. He was a quiet, congenial man and a most worthy citizen, and highly esteemed by all who knew him.
- v. ROBERT MELVILLE, b. Sept. 8, 1846, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Jan. 21, 1880, Ella Louisa Blanding, b. Feb. 16, 1855, dau. of Oscar and Lucinda (William-) Blanding of East Hamilton. He lived many years on the farm of his father and was engaged in raising hops. For several years he had charge of a creamery. He lives in Waterville, N. Y., and is a hop speculator and farmer.

115. EZRA AUSTIN⁶ BRAINERD (*Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y., m. March 28, 1839, Betsey Sayley, b. _____, dau. of James and Eunice (Maynard) Sayley of Sherburne, N. Y. He was a farmer and hop grower at East Hamilton, now called Hubbardsville, N. Y. He had an adopted dau., Adella Gross, who took the name of Brainerd. She m., Dec. 15, 1880, Mr. L. P. Niles of East Hamilton, N. Y. Mr. Ezra Austin Brainerd d. Sept. 24, or 27, 1898, ae. 89 yrs. Mrs. Betsey (Sayley) Brainerd d. March 21, 1902.



OLIVE (BRAINERD) USHER.



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Child:

- i. CLARISSA M., b. May 1, 1841, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Aug. 2, 1851, ae. 10 yrs., 3 mos., 1 d.

- ✓116. DIODATE⁶ BRAINERD (*Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 22, 1844, Mrs. Amy (Aldrich) Ingalls, b. _____, dau. of James and Sybil (Curtis) Aldrich of Sherburne, N. Y., and widow of James Ingalls. He was a farmer and hop grower in East Hamilton, now Hubbardsville, N. Y. Mr. Diodate Brainerd d. Oct. 13, 1885, ae. 73 yrs., 5 mos., 26 ds. Mrs. Amy (Aldrich) (Ingalls) Brainerd d. June 30, 1889.

Children:

- i. E. ROCELIA, b. Oct. 21, 1845, in Hubbardsville, N. Y.
222. ii. EZRA SEYMOUR, b. March 4, 1849, in Hubbardsville, N. Y.
223. iii. OLIVER DAY, b. Feb. 23, 1851, in Hubbardsville, N. Y.
224. iv. OLIVE ANN, b. March 5, 1854, in Hubbardsville, N. Y.

- ✓117. AMAZIAH⁶ BRAINERD (*Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Sept. 19, 1849, Charlotte Lucretia Webster, b. March 24, 1824, in Hamilton, N. Y., dau. of John Goodwin and Lucretia (Brainerd) Webster of Deerfield, Oneida Co., N. Y. He was a farmer for many years in Poolville, then moved to Lee Center, Oneida Co., N. Y., where they both died and were buried. Mrs. Charlotte Lucretia (Webster) Brainerd d. about Dec., 1878. Mr. Amaziah Brainerd d. Nov. 22, 1879, ae. 65 yrs., 4 mos., 11 ds.

No children.

- ✓118. LEVERETT BRAINARD (*Amaziah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m. (by Rev. J. L. Jenkins, pastor of Pearl Street Congregational Church), Nov. 29, 1865, Mary Jerusha Bulkeley,* b. Sept. 27, 1843, in East Haddam, Conn., dau. of Judge Eliphalet Adams and Lydia Smith (Morgan) Bulkeley of Hartford, Conn. His father died when he was thirteen years of age, which left him, the oldest son, in charge of the farm, to which he devoted his time summers, attending the district school in the winter, later attending school at Bacon Academy in Colchester. After teaching school a couple of winters, he returned to the farm. He soon after became a book agent, and later made an engagement in the insurance business, which took him to western Pennsylvania and vicinity; after spending a couple of years there, he returned to the farm. In 1853 he was tendered the secretaryship of the Orient Insurance Company of Hartford, which he

* She is ninth in descent from William Brewster.

accepted and held for five years. "He had been prominent in the business life of the city for nearly a half century and always had the city's interest at heart."

He was a member of the Court of Common Council in 1866, of the Board of Park Commissioners from 1872 to 1877, a director of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, the *Ætna* National Bank, the United States Bank, the Security Company, the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, the Hartford and New York Transportation Company, the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company, the *Ætna* Life Insurance Company, the Western Automatic Machine Screw Company, the Hartford Faience Company, the *Ætna* Indemnity Company, the Board of Trade, and the Charity Organization, and a trustee of the Scottish Union and National Insurance Company. He was first vice-president of the Connecticut Typothetæ, and had been its president. He was president of the Hartford Paper Company, of the Burr Index Company, the Employing Printers Association of Connecticut and vicinity. January, 1858, he was admitted as a partner in the firm of The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company. He was made secretary and treasurer of the company, and was chosen president after the death of the senior member of the firm, Mr. Newton Case.

He represented the second ward in the court of common council, and he was an active member of the Governor's Foot Guard. He was a representative to the Connecticut State Legislature in 1884, and was chosen chairman of the committee on railroads, one of the most important committees in the House. In 1894 he was chosen Mayor of the city of Hartford, being elected by a large majority. He served a term of two years. He was many years chairman of the society committee of the Pearl Street Congregational Church, till the removal of the church to Farmington avenue.

He was appointed by Governor M. G. Bulkeley, in 1890, with ex-Governor Thomas M. Waller, a commissioner from Connecticut to the World's Fair at Chicago. He was made chairman of the joint board's committee on manufactures, one of the most important of the working committees of the Commission. He was also a member of the state committee from Connecticut on international exhibits at the Chicago Fair.

In social life, he was a member of Hartford Lodge, No. 88, A. F. and A. M., the Hartford Club, the Republican Club of Hartford, the Country Club of Farmington, the Hartford Golf Club, and the Hartford Yacht Club. He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, being grandson of William Brainard, Captain Twenty-fifth Connecticut Militia.



CHARLES EDWIN BRAINARD

The following article appeared in the editorial column of *The Hartford Courant* on July 3.

"Leverett Brainard was a part of Hartford. Everybody knew him and he had a kind word for whomever he knew. He was identified with many of the corporations here whose success has added so much to the standing of the city in business circles, and he has been an important factor in their growth and prosperity. He was conservative but far-seeing, and he typified the careful, fair-minded and public-spirited citizen. The responsibilities that his fellow men imposed upon him testified most emphatically their confidence in him. He was respected and trusted as a representative citizen, and as a friend he was held in peculiarly affectionate consideration. His nature was gentle, all his instincts were kindly; he wished everybody well, and the fact was made unobtrusively evident to all who came to know him. He was a keen observer of men and things, and possessed a clever wit and a neat manner of putting his notions that made him always a most agreeable companion. Many kind things are being said of him these days, and they reflect the sentiments he himself entertained toward his fellow citizens. He had a kind heart."

Mr. Leverett Brainard died July 2, 1902, ae. 74 yrs., 4 mos., 19 ds., in Hartford, Conn.

The usual commendatory resolutions were passed by the various organizations and societies to which he belonged, at their business meetings following his death.

Mrs. Brainard is a kind, self-sacrificing, and devoted mother, ever manifesting her zeal and interest in the welfare of her family and with her philanthropic spirit aiding those who are in need with kind words of sympathy. She has been greatly interested in charity work, having been director and president of the Union for Home Work, and was (1904) president of the Orphan Asylum in Hartford, which is under the auspices of the various Protestant Christian people. Mrs. Mary Jerusha (Bulkeley) Brainard d.

Children :

225. i. MARY LYDIA, b. Nov. 14, 1867, in Hartford, Conn.
- ii. CHARLES EDWIN, b. Dec. 10, 1869, in Hartford, Conn.; d. Oct. 31, 1889, ae. 19 yrs., 10 mos., 21 ds. He received his preparatory education and training in the public schools, having graduated with honor at the Hartford Public High School in 1887. He immediately entered Yale University, and was a popular and greatly respected member of the junior class. This in brief is the story of his short life, the bright promise of which has been so sadly and suddenly ended.

He was a general favorite in the social circle in which he moved. Manly, self-respecting, warm-hearted, intelligent, he was the pride of his family and beloved by all who knew him. Of his death, his pastor, the Rev. W. DeLoss Love, writes to *The Courant* :

"The young people who knew him will receive his death with deepest sorrow. They were all his friends, none knew him

that did not feel the strength of his young manhood. His ways were quiet and gentlemanly, his words bore the knightly impress of a noble nature. He deserved to be popular, as he was, for his character was worthy of imitation among his classmates and acquaintances. Before he entered Yale College he united with the Pearl St. Church, and his manly decision and bearing then won him the esteem of his seniors. His life has been eminently consistent, as his college friends testify. His home life was gentle and generous—a brother beloved, a son in whom a parent might rejoice." From *The Hartford Courant*.

The bearers were twelve classmates of Yale. The junior class, of which he was a member, passed the following resolutions:

"Whereas God in his wisdom and mercy has taken from amongst us Charles E. Brainard, our classmate and fellow student, and whereas in the three years of our college life we have learned to love and admire in him the attributes of true manhood, be it

"Resolved, that our class in sorrow at his loss wear a badge of mourning for thirty days. That two representatives be chosen to attend his funeral, and that these resolutions be sent to his family in sympathy and for his memory's sake.

"S. W. CHILDS,

"J. E. FARMER,

"GROSVENOR ATTERBURY,

"Committee."

"The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of this community and their wide circle of friends.

"Sleep sweetly, tender heart, in peace!

Sleep, holy spirit, blessed soul:

While the stars burn, the moons increase

And the great ages onward roll."

226. iii. LUCY MORGAN, b. Jan. 22, 1872, in Hartford, Conn.

iv. ROBERT LEVERETT, b. March 31, 1874, in Hartford, Conn.; d. Aug. 3, 1885, ae. 11 yrs., 4 mos., 24 ds., at Fenwick, Conn. He was a lad of good capabilities, of a sweet disposition, retiring in his manner and with a mind thoughtful and mature beyond his years, a retentive memory, and a reserve fund of dry humor which gave great promise of future usefulness. He had an inquisitive turn of mind, possessing those traits of character that would have rendered his life one to be desired. His memory lingered long in the hearts of the beloved home circle of which he was a member.

v. ALBERT BULKELEY, b. July 9, 1876, in Hartford, Conn.; d. Nov. 2, 1881, ae. 5 yrs.; 3 mos., 24 ds., a bright, lively, and social boy, pleasing in speech, always merry, of a joyous and affectionate disposition, and ready for a good time. The bright hopes anticipated for him were nipped in the bud, when the fell destroyer, death, claimed him for his own. Sorrowing parents and friends gave the final look to the loved one and he was laid away, but his memory lives with them.

227. vi. MORGAN BULKELEY, b. Jan. 8, 1879, in Hartford, Conn.

vii. NEWTON CASE, b. Dec. 26, 1880, in Hartford, Conn.; graduated at the Hartford Public High School in 1898 and at Yale College in the class of 1902. He was appointed secretary of The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., of which his father was many years its president.



NEWTON CASE BRAINARD

- 227a. viii. EDITH HOLLISTER, b. Aug. 13, 1882, in Hartford, Conn.; received her education at the Hartford Public High School, graduating therefrom in 1900, and finishing her scholastic instruction at Miss Porter's school at Farmington, Conn.
- ix. RUTH ALBERTA, b. Jan. 31, 1885, in Hartford, Conn.; attended the Hartford Public High School, and has completed her education at Briar Cliff Manor on the Hudson, Miss Porter's school in Farmington, Conn., having been removed to the banks of the Hudson.
- x. HELEN STERLING, b. May 6, 1889, in Hartford, Conn.; d. Nov. 11, 1899, ae. 10 yrs., 6 mos., 5 ds. Her short life, so suddenly brought to a close, has saddened the hearts of all her family and friends. She was a sweet and bright girl, of a tractable and sunny disposition, and loved by her playmates and friends. As the youngest of the family circle she became the pet of the household, and as her young life waned their hearts were filled with sadness and sorrow, for they knew they would never look again in this life on the face of the loved one. Peacefully and sweetly she went to her heavenly home. The angel band must have welcomed her with rejoicing.

119. LAURA⁶ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel⁵, Bezaleel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 27, 1805, Erastus Comstock, b. _____, son of Capt. Abner and _____ (_____) Comstock. She took a letter from the Congregational church in East Haddam to Ashville, N. Y., April 26, 1835. He was a farmer. Mr. Erastus Comstock d. July 14, 1812, ae. 29 yrs., in East Haddam. Mrs. Laura (Brainerd) Comstock d. Nov. 8, 1879, ae. 90 yrs., 11 mos., 25 ds., in Ashville, N. Y.

Comstock children:

- i. LAURA BRAINERD, b. Nov. 7, 1806, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Mr. Rathbun.
- ii. ERASTUS, b. Sept. 10, 1808, in East Haddam, Conn.
- iii. ELIZA, b. Sept. 10, 1808, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. March 27, 1831, William Raynor.
- iv. ALMEIDA ALMIRA,* b. Nov. 7, 1811, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Daniel Williams.

120. HANNAH⁶ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel⁵, Bezaleel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., May 24, 1813, Bezaleel Gates, b. Oct. 14, 1783, son of Bezaleel and Helen (Wilder) Gates. His second marriage. He was a farmer in Derby, Conn. Mr. Bezaleel Gates d. June 13, 1862, ae. 78 yrs., 7 mos., 25 ds. Mrs. Hannah (Brainerd) Gates d. Dec. 17, 1862, ae. 72 yrs., 13 ds. His first wife was Ann Ackley, whom he m. Oct. 21, 1804.

Gates children:

- i. HANNAH ANN, b. April 2, 1814, in Derby, Conn.; m. May 15, 1837, Elijah Murrey of Willoughby, Ohio. She d. while on a visit to Derby, Conn., Nov. 21, 1844. Ch.: 1. Sarah, b. April 13, 1838. 2. Harriet Ann, b. Aug. 8, 1843, in Willoughby, Ohio. They are both dead.

* Almeda Elvira, by East Haddam town records.

- ii. WILLIAM DEMING, b. Sept. 11, 1815, in Derby, Conn. He was a sea captain.
- iii. HELEN, b. Feb. 15, 1818, in Derby, Conn.; m. Sept. 18, 1842, Martin L. Cochrane, son of Alexander and Nancy Cochrane of Ripley, N. Y. She d. in 1867. He d. 1869: hanged himself. Four ch. in Ripley, N. Y.
- iv. BEZALEEL BRAINERD, b. March 20, 1820, in Derby, Conn.; d. April 15, 1823-25. He was drowned in Naugatuck River, Derby Landing, Conn.
- v. SARAH LYDIA, b. Dec. 18, 1824, in Derby, Conn.; d. May 13, 1833.
- vi. BEZALEEL BRAINERD, b. Dec. 18, 1824, in Derby, Conn.; d. Dec. 18, 1824.
- vii. JOHN CALVIN, b. July 5, 1832, in Derby, Conn.; a druggist at Benton Harbor, Mich.

121. LUCY⁶ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel⁵, Bezaleel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m. (by Rev. Isaac Parsons of East Haddam), Oct. 13, 1819, Israel Foote, b. May 29, 1794, son of Nathaniel and Abigail (Foote) Foote of Westchester, Conn. He was clerk in a store at East Haddam Landing, and for many years a teacher, but after marriage a farmer, first in Westchester, then, about 1825, in Sherburne Four Corners, N. Y.; a man of fine physique, of good intellectual ability, and of commanding appearance. Mrs. Lucy (Brainerd) Foote d. Feb. 24, 1853, ae. 59 yrs., 7 mos., 7 ds. He m. (2), Feb. 12, 1854, Clarissa (Marvin) Ely, b. May 5, 1795, in Lyme, dau. of Joseph and Phebe (Sterling) Marvin of Lyme, Conn., and widow of Horace Ely of the same place. Mrs. Clarissa (Marvin) (Ely) Foote d. April 7, 1881, ae. 85 yrs., 11 mos., 2 ds. Mr. Israel Foote d. July 3, 1884, ae. 90 yrs., 1 mo., 5 ds.

Foote children:

- i. SAMUEL MILLS, b. Jan. 20, 1822, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Sarah E. Hartwell.
- ii. SARAH TISDALE, b. Feb. 10, 1824, in Westchester, Conn.; m. Dr. William Jones Price of Wilmington, N. C. She was his third wife.
- iii. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, b. March 13, 1828, in Sherburne, N. Y.; m. Edward H. Purdy of North Norwich, N. Y. He moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., where he d. Apr. 4, 1895.
- iv. LUCY ELEN, b. Sept. 6, 1831, in Sherburne, N. Y.; lived in Brooklyn, N. Y., with her sister, Mrs. Purdy, — afterward in Lockport, N. Y., where she d., July 14, 1902; unm.
- v. ISRAEL OTIS, b. Nov. 9, 1834, in Sherburne, N. Y.; d. Dec. 13, 1862. He was killed in the battle of Fredericksburg, Va., during our Civil War; unm.
- vi. MILTON LATHROP, b. Jan. 15, 1837, in Sherburne, N. Y.; d. June 12, 1840.

122. WILLIAM⁶ BRAINERD (*Bezaleel⁵, Bezaleel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Sept. 16, 1824, Lucy Day Brainerd, b. Nov. 4, 1804, dau. of William and Patience (Foote) Brainerd of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer, living at Creek Row, about a mile north of East Haddam Landing. He was selectman

in 1843, and was deacon of the Congregational Church in East Haddam. He owned and ran a sawmill. Mrs. Lucy Day (Brainerd) Brainerd d. May 10, 1857, ae. 52 yrs., 6 mos., 6 ds. Mr. William Brainerd d. May 15, 1864, ae. 68 yrs., 6 mos., 17 ds.

Children:

228. i. WILLIAM ORRIN, b. April 25, 1829, in East Haddam, Conn.
- ii. ABIGAIL LUCINDA, b. Jan. 1, 1835, in East Haddam, Conn.; unm.

123. PHEBE³ BRAINARD (*Bezaleel⁵, Bezaleel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 11, 1822, Silas Augustus Nichols, b. Sept. 1, 1796, in Derby, Conn., son of Silas and Freelove (Chidsey) Nichols. He lived for a while in New Haven, Conn., then moved to East Haddam, and was a joiner and farmer. A few years previous to his death he moved to Deep River, Conn. Mr. Silas Augustus Nichols d. June 19, 1874, and was buried at Deep River. Mrs. Phebe (Brainard) Nichols d. Dec. 15, 1886, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dennison, in Deep River.

Nichols children:

- i. JANE, b. June 27, 1824, in New Haven, Conn.; m. March 3, 1845-46, William Henry Chapman of Moodus, Conn. Ch.: 1. Emeline, b. in East Haddam, Conn., Jan. 8, 1850; d. April 12, 1873, at Deep River, Conn. 2. Carrie Jane, b. July 18, 1853, in East Haddam; unm. She d. ———. He lives in Deep River.
- ii. JOSEPH HULL, b. Aug. 10, 1826, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Ellen Potter, dau. of Judge Potter of Concord, N. H.
- iii. HARRIET LOUISA, b. June 12, 1828, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. May 4, 1859, Titus K. Dennison of Deep River, Conn., where he lived. He was a farmer. He d. ———.
- iv. CHIDSEY D., b. Nov. 29, 1829, in East Haddam, Conn.; d. June 18, 1831, ae. 1 yr., 7 mos.
- v. ELLEN HANNAH, b. Sept. 1, 1832, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. March, 1851, Watrous B. Smith of East Haddam, Conn. Ch.: 1. Ellen, b. Dec. 30, 1851, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. Oct. 1, 1873, Henry Pratt of Essex, Conn. 2. Edward, b. Feb. 9, 1853, in East Haddam, Conn. 3. Everett E., b. March 20, 1856, in East Haddam, Conn. 4. Willie, b. Oct. 1, 1859, in New Hartford, Conn. 5. Harry, b. March 11, 1866, in Chester, Conn. 6. Eugene, b. June 13, 1868, in Essex, Conn. 7. Philips, b. July 20, 1870, in Essex, Conn. She d. Dec. 20, 1874.
- vi. LAURA BRAINERD, b. June 20, 1834, in East Haddam, Conn.; m. (by Rev. S. M. Robbins) Aug. 1, 1860, Henry Martyn Bridgman, b. Jan. 8, 1830, in West Hampton, Mass., son of Spencer and Dotha (Burt) Bridgman of the same place. He graduated at Amherst College and at Theological Seminary. They sailed for Natal, Africa, from Boston (bark *Gemsbok*) Sept. 1, 1860, as missionaries of the A. B. C. F. M. to the Zulu nation in South Africa. After a voyage of 72 days they reached Port Elizabeth, where they remained eight days waiting for a coast steamer, and arrived at Durban, Port Natal, Nov. 24th. Rains and floods kept them there three weeks, after which time they went by ox-wagon a day's journey to Amanzimtoti (now Adams Mission Sta-

tion). After a few days another wagon journey, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Ireland, took them on fifteen miles further to Imfume, where they remained three months with Mr. and Mrs. Ireland, devoting themselves to the study of the Zulu language.

Mrs. Ireland's death the next year led to their being appointed to this station, where they remained till Oct., 1866, when Mr. Bridgman's broken-down condition required a change, and after six months at Cape Town they returned to America. After spending a year in St. Paul, Minn. (with the two oldest of their children, Burt and Amy), they left again for Natal in Nov., 1868. They went by steamer from New York to London, then on from there by sailing vessel (*Verulan*) to Durban, where they arrived early in April after a sea voyage of four months. They went to their old home at Imfume, awaiting mission appointment. In August by mission appointment they went on to Umzumbe, where they lived and labored 27 years, till Mr. Bridgman changed the service of earth for the rest of heaven. It was a wonderful and gracious Providence that kept them there till the work was so firmly established on a self-supporting basis that a resident missionary was no longer needed. A capable native pastor had been ordained and placed over the church, which was pledged to his support. The Umzumbe Home for Girls was also fully organized, and prepared to go on in its good work with an able corps of teachers. Mr. Henry M. Bridgman d. Aug. 20, 1896, æt. 66 yrs., in South Africa.

The temperance work, actively begun in 1879, had done much in clearing and strengthening the church, at last resulting in a reform in all the churches. The out-station work was also stimulated and enlarged, and has been going forward with steady and increasing power up to the present time. Mrs. Bridgman was president of the Natal W. C. T. U. and actively engaged in the work, having been appointed to that position by Mrs. Leavett when on her round-the-world trip. She gave up the presidency on account of Mr. Bridgman's failing health and the great distance from the work, it being a journey of four days by oxen to the nearest local union. After her husband's death she taught in the boys' school for two years, since which time she has been engaged in translating for publication, and in filling gaps, in teaching and other work, visiting with the people, etc., etc., The translated work was printed in Boston, Mass., 1904. Since its completion she has returned to South Africa where she is (1906).

While at Imfume and Umzumbe they were much interested in Sunday-school and in the woman's meeting, and among the people who lived near or came within their reach. Their children were:

- i. Burt Nichols, b. Dec. 31, 1863, in Imfume, Natal, South Africa; came to the United States of America for education in May and June, 1878; prepared for college in St. Johnsbury, Vt.; graduated from Amherst in 1884, and, after post-graduate course of one year, began the study of medicine; graduated from New York University in 1889, taking highest honors in a class of 180 students. He m. March, 1892, Miss Hester A. McConnell of New York (graduate of Post Graduate Hospital), b. June 7, 1868, in Clarksville, N. Y., dau. of William and Eliza Ann (Chamberlain) McConnell. He left soon for Natal under appointment as Medical Missionary. After inaugurating the Medical Department of the Mission, and carrying it on with much success till 1898, he



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was compelled to give it up on account of the failing health of his wife. They reached the U. S. A. in October, and have since been living in Jamaica Plain, where he is a practicing physician, and where they are both active members in Central Congregational Church.

- ii. Amy, b. July 9, 1866, in Natal, South Africa, came to the U. S. A. May and June, 1881; graduated from Oberlin College 1889; went to Natal to help her parents in the work in the same year, and returned to America in Nov., 1891; m. Jan. 25, 1892, George Burr Cowles, Jr., b. Nov. 11, 1862, in Bridgeport, Conn., and left for Natal in April, 1893, he being under appointment of the A. B. C. F. M. as principal of Boys' Training School at Adams Mission Station. Her failing health compelled a return to America in 1902. The family returned to Africa in the fall of 1904. Ch.: 1. Ruth Cordelia, b. Oct. 25, 1892, in New Britain, Conn., United States of America. 2. Helen Laura, b. June 16, 1894. 3. Raymond Bridgman, b. Dec. 1, 1896. The last two born at the Adams Mission Station, Natal, South Africa.
- iii. Frederick Brainerd, b. May 18, 1869, in Imfume, Natal, South Africa. He came to America in May, 1881; graduated at Oberlin College in 1893 and at Chicago Theo. Sem. in 1894. He labored under the Home Missionary Society one year in Spring Valley, Wis.; m. Sept., 1895, Miss Clara Davis, b. Feb. 10, 1868, in Japan, dau. of Dr. Jerome Davis of the Doshisha, Japan, whose residence is Kyoto, Japan. She was a classmate at Oberlin. Under appointment of the A. B. C. F. M., they reached Natal in Nov. 1897. He is missionary to the 20,000 natives in the seaport town of Durban, and besides this, has a great deal of responsible work at other places. In 1906 he with his wife was in America.
- iv. Henry Martyn, b. Nov. 11, 1872, at Umzumbe, South Africa; came to America in 1884, when 11 years old; received his education at New Britain, Conn., Clinton, N. Y., and in Oberlin, Ohio; graduated from the Dental Department of the University of Mich.; practiced his profession at Clinton and Syracuse, N. Y.; went to South Africa in 1898, and practiced in Cape Town two years; returned to America and m. March 8, 1901, in Racine, Wis., Florence Rachel Jones, b. Sept., 1872, in Dowagiac, Mich., dau. of Gilman Colby and Amanda (Wall) Jones, formerly of Mich. She was a graduate of Chicago University, and has had much experience as a teacher both in the United States and in the Argentine Republic. They went directly to Kimberly, South Africa, where they were (1904). Ch.: 1. Amanda Adair, b. Dec. 22, 1901, in Kimberly, South Africa.

124. LUCY DAY^c BRAINERD (*Daniel Adams^s, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., March 8, 1835, William Lord, b. May, 1785, son of Ezekial and Sarah (Lord) Lord of East Haddam, Conn. He was a farmer residing in East Hamilton. She was his second wife. His first wife was Clarissa A. Brainerd, to whom he was married Nov. 30, 1808. Mr. William Lord d. Nov. 18, 1855-56, ae. about 70 yrs. Mrs. Lucy Day (Brainerd) Lord d. April 17, 1891, ae. 87 yrs., 2 ds.

No children.

125. DANIEL ADAMS⁶ BRAINERD (*Daniel Adams⁵, Daniel⁴, Beza-leel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 23, 1863, Lucy Ann Toby, b. May 13, 1823, dau. of Ephraim and Lucy Ann (Montague) Toby of Marion, N. Y. He was a dealer in hops, living the most of his life in East Hamilton. His last years were spent in Hubbardsville, N. Y. Mrs. Lucy Ann (Toby) Brainerd d. Dec. 7, 1866. Mr. Daniel Adams Brainerd d. July 5, 1887, ae. 78 yrs., 9 mos., 18 ds.

No children.

126. IRA⁶ BRAINERD (*Daniel Adams⁵, Daniel⁴, Beza-leel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Aug. 24, 1837, Jemima Beebe, b. Feb. 26, 1818, dau. of Justin and Cynthia (Parks) Beebe of East Hamilton, N. Y. He was a farmer, hop raiser, and extensive hop dealer in East Hamilton. Mr. Ira Brainerd d. May 19, 1885, ae. 74 yrs., 8 mos., 25 ds., in the insane asylum at Utica, N. Y. Mrs. Jemima (Beebe) Brainerd d. Dec. 3, 1904, in East Hamilton, N. Y.

Children:

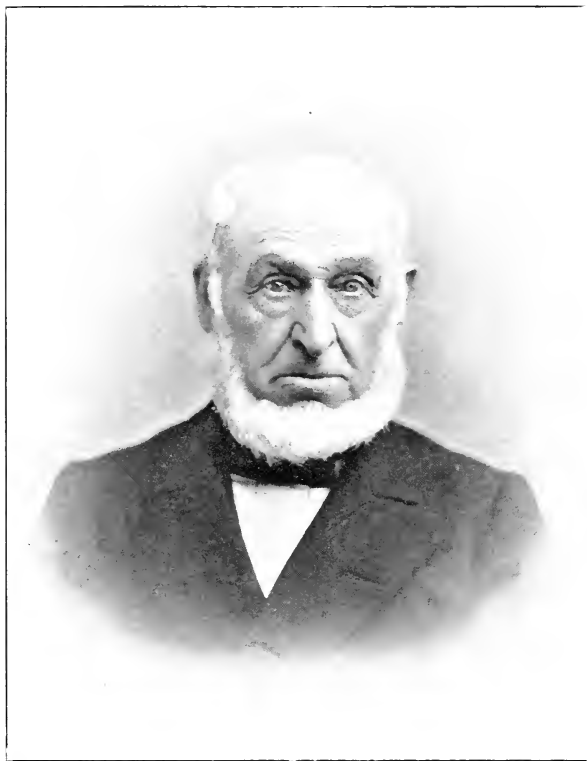
- 229. i. FRANCES C., b. Sept. 16, 1842, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- 230. ii. DANIEL A., b. Nov. 16, 1844, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- 231. iii. IRA DEWANE, b. Sept. 27, 1846, in East Hamilton, N. Y.
- 232. iv. EMMA IRENE, b. March 10, 1854, in East Hamilton, N. Y.

127. MARY ANN⁶ BRAINARD (*Samuel Dimmick⁵, Daniel⁴, Beza-leel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Weybridge, Addison Co., Vt.: m., Feb. 13, 1828, Orange Brittell*, b. Sept. 13, 1800, in Weybridge, Vt., son of John and Elizabeth (Hobbs) Brittell of the same place. He was a woolen manufacturer in Weybridge, where he resided. Mrs. Mary Ann (Brainard) Brittell d. June 29, 1837, ae. 30 yrs., 9 mos., 14 ds. Mr. Orange Brittell d. Nov. 8, 1878, ae. 78 yrs., 1 mo., 25 ds.

Brittell children:

- i. HELEN MARION, b. Aug. 15, 1829, in Weybridge, Vt.; m. Nov. 9, 1852, Daniel Huntly of Appleton, Wis. Ch.: 1. Jerome Brittell, b. Sept. 25, 1855; res. Larned, Kan. 2. Herbert Brainerd, b. Jan. 10, 1862; res. near N. Y. 3. Arthur Oren, b. March 13, 1864; res. Idaho. 4. Flora, and 5. Fleta (twins), b. Aug. 15, 1868. He lives in Appleton, Wis. He is a farmer.
- ii. MARTHA JANE, b. Oct. 29, 1832, in Weybridge, Vt.; m. Samuel Gorham, son of James and Anna (Taylor) Gorham. She d. March 13, 1854. No ch.
- iii. OREN KELLOGG, b. Jan. 17, 1836, in Weybridge, Vt.; m. Sarah Allen of Ferrisburgh, Vt. He is a leading farmer in Weybridge, Vt. In 1888 he was representative to the Vt. Legislature. Ch.: 1. John P. 2. Mamie. 3. Ray.

* The name is also spelled Britell.



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128. NELSON⁶ BRAINERD (*Samuel Dimmick⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Weybridge, Addison Co., Vt.; m., _____, Emily Caroline Childs, b. May 24, 1813, in Brandon, Vt., dau. of Adolphus C. and Hannah (Deming) Childs. He moved to Jersey Co., Ill., in 1843, but returned to Addison, Vt., Mch., 1846. Mrs. Emily Caroline (Childs) Brainerd d. July 31, 1844. Mr. Nelson Brainerd d. March, 1846.

Children:

233. i. CHARLES NELSON, b. Feb. 29, 1836, in Washington Co., N. Y.
 234. ii. JANE C., b. _____.
 iii. SAMUEL JAMES, b. Aug. 23, 1841, in Virgin, Vt. When 5 yrs. of age he went to Castleton, Vt., to live. In 1877 he went to Fort Collins, Col.; remained there eight yrs., then went to Cheyenne. He served three yrs. in the U. S. service, and was honorably discharged. He enlisted Oct. 2, 1861, must. in Oct. 18, 1861, must. out Oct., 1864, Co. B, 2d Regt., Vt. He lived (1890) in Cheyenne City, Wyoming Ter.
 iv. A child, b. ____; d. 1844.

129. LUCINDA⁶ BRAINERD (*Samuel Dimmick⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Weybridge, Addison Co., Vt.; m., Jan. 3, 1832, Silas L. Sprague (by Elijah Drake, justice of the peace), b. March 11, 1811, son of Enoch and Laura (Mead) Sprague of Weybridge, Vt. He was a merchant, commencing the business when 19 yrs. of age and continuing a period of 50 yrs. till his death. He was a leading man in the town of Weybridge, where he lived, and the oldest merchant in Addison Co., Vt., and honorable and just in all his dealings. Mrs. Lucinda (Brainerd) Sprague d. May 7, 1864, ae. 51 yrs., 1 mo., 16 ds. Mr. Silas L. Sprague d. Dec. 12, 1879, ae. 68 yrs., 9 mos., 1 d.

Sprague children:

- i. MARTIN E., b. Sept. 14, 1833, in Weybridge, Vt.; m. Jan. 23, 1855, Margarette W. Bullard, dau. of Dr. Cullen and Wealtha (Auberg or Aubery) Bullard of New Haven, Vt. He was for many years connected with railroads, and has been general freight and passenger agent of the B. & L. R. R. at Burlington, Vt. He was (1894) in the mercantile business in Weybridge. Ch.: 1. Lillian A., b. Feb. 28, 1858; m. Jan. 31, 1883, Charles Collins Gilmore, son of Dennis and Nancy A. (Fairbanks) Gilmore of Swanton, Vt. Ch.: i. Marion S., b. Nov. 4, 1886. 2. Grant M., b. Dec. 2, 1863, in Weybridge, Vt.; res. Lima, Ohio; is in the oil business.
 ii. MADISON E., b. Feb. 14, 1837, in Weybridge, Vt.; a farmer; unm.
 iii. IZORA L., b. Oct. 28, 1848, in Weybridge, Vt.; m. Sept. 19, 1871, William J. Newton, son of Joseph and Miriam (Allen) Newton of Ferrisburgh, Vt.; a farmer; res. Weybridge Village, Vt. No ch.

130. LOUISA ADELIA⁶ BRAINERD (*Samuel Dimmick⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Weybridge, Addison Co., Vt.; m., Oct. 27, 1847, Luther Bateman Palmer, b. Oct. 27, 1826, in Knox Co., Ohio, son of Daniel and Roxanna

(Welch) Palmer. He was a farmer. Mrs. Louisa Adelia (Brainerd) Palmer d. Aug. 13, 1853, æt. 77 yrs., 17 ds., in Chesterfield township, Macoupin Co., Ill. Mr. Luther Bateman Palmer d.

Palmer children:

- i. LYMAN LUTHER, b. Aug. 30, 1850, in Medora, Ill.; grad. June 12, 1873, at Blackburn University, Carlinville, Ill.; m. June 25, 1873, Maria Frances Nantz of Carlinville, Ill.; b. Jan. 20, 1850. She was a teacher, and on the day following her marriage started for Cal. He is a journalist by profession, having been connected with many of the leading papers of the state. He was (1890) editor and proprietor of *The Fresno Daily Evening Tribune*. He has written short stories and poems, and has had conferred on him the degree of A.M. Ch.: 1. Sarah Estella, b. Nov. 23, 1874. 2. Vesta Louisa, b. Oct. 21, 1876. 3. Clara Bell, b. Dec. 17, 1878; d. Sept. 15, 1880. 4. Robert Francis, b. Jan. 1, 1883; res. Fresno City, Cal.
- ii. LOUISA A., b. Aug. 1, 1853, in Macoupin Co., Ill.; d. Aug. 26, 1853.

131. MARIA ELECTA⁶ BRAINERD (*Samuel Dimmick*⁵, *Daniel*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Weybridge, Addison Co., Vt.; m., Feb. 24, 1853, William George Palmer, b. Nov. 4, 1823, in Waltham, Vt., son of William and Mary (Barton) Palmer. He lives in Kemper, Jersey Co., Ill. Mr. William George Palmer d. Mrs. Maria Electa (Brainerd) Palmer d.

Palmer children:

- i. A dau., b. Oct. 29, 1854, in Macoupin, Ill.; d. Oct. 29, 1854.
- ii. GEORGE GILBERT, b. Sept. 16, 1856, in Macoupin, Ill.; m. Mch. 20, 1878, Catherine Bell Bierne, b. Oct. 25, 1857, in Alton, Ill., dau. of James Louis and Jane (Heighfield) Bierne. Ch.: 1. Pensacola, b. Aug. 26, 1879. 2. Oliver, b. Oct. 30, 1881; d. Jan. 30, 1888; res. Medora, Ill.
- iii. GEORGIA MARTHA, b. March 7, 1861, in Macoupin Co., Ill.; m. April 15, 1885, James White Kitzmiller, b. June 26, 1855, in Tenn., son of Martin V. and Mary (Crouch) Kitzmiller. He is an attorney-at-law and dealer in all kinds of lumber, lime, cement, and paints at Medora, Ill. Ch.: 1. Mary Electa, b. Feb. 15, 1886, in Tenn.
- iv. GILLIAN H., b. Feb. 21, 1864, in Macoupin Co., Ill.; d. Oct. 30, 1865.
- v. GRACE, b. April 4, 1870, in Macoupin Co., Ill.; d. April, 1870.

132. ELIZABETH R.⁶ BRAINERD (*Enoch S.*⁵, *Enoch*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Newburgh, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m., Oct. 31, 1839, Josiah Wetmore, b. May 13, 1816, in the township of Stowe, Ohio, son of Titus and Sally H. (Wetmore) Wetmore. He was a farmer at Stowe, Ohio. Mrs. Elizabeth R. (Brainerd) Wetmore d. Aug. 24, 1879. He m. (2), Dec. 16, 1880, Valeria Lemoure. Mr. Josiah Wetmore d. Jan. 18 or 19, 1884, in Stowe, Ohio.

Wetmore children:

- i. WILLARD WRIGHT, b. June 13, 1843, in Stowe, Ohio; m. Feb. 26, 1874, Julia A. Gaylord. Ch.: 1. Jessie.
- ii. LUTHER BRAINERD, b. Feb. 14, 1847, in Stowe, Ohio; m. Nov. 27, 1873, Julia F. Darrow. b. in Hudson township, Ohio. Ch.: 1. Bert D., b. Jan. 23, 1875. 2. Harry J., b. Feb. 4, 1876. 3. Lavinia, b. Nov. 4, 1878; d. March 25, 1881. 4. Celia Abbey, b. Dec. 8, 1880.

133. GEORGE⁶ BRAINERD (*Enoch S.⁵, Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Newburgh, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m., Olive. He was a soldier in the late Civil War. Mr. George Brainerd d. Jan. 19, 1865, in Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. Olive () Brainerd d. in 1877.

Children:

- i. JOHN LINDLEY, b. ———; res. Chicago, Ill.
- ii. WILFRED GEORGE, b. ———; res. Akron, Ohio; one dau.
235. iii. GEORGE, b. ———; res. Cleveland, Ohio.
- iv. A child, b. ———; d. young.

134. JOSEPH LEACH⁶ BRAINARD (*Enoch S.⁵, Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Newburgh, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m., 1853, Mary Sears, b. about 1828, dau. of James and Catherine (Phelps) Sears of Brooklyn Village, Ohio. He is a farmer living in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Joseph Leach Brainard d. Mrs. Mary (Sears) Brainard d.

Children:

- i. ALICE K., b. ———, in Brooklyn, Ohio; m. ———.
- ii. ELIZABETH W., b. ———, in Brooklyn, Ohio; m. ———.
- iii. J. DWIGHT, b. ———, in Brooklyn, Ohio.
- iv. JOHN L., b. ———, in Brooklyn, Ohio.

135. ENOCH SOUTHWORTH⁶ BRAINARD (*Enoch S.⁵, Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Newburgh, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m., ———. He lived in Cleveland, Ohio, and was a veterinary surgeon. Mr. Enoch Southworth Brainard d. Oct.

Children:

- i. GEORGE, b. ———.
- ii. ELLEN, b. ———.

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136. BETSEY E.⁷ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; m., George M. Tillotson, b.

He was a clerk. Mrs. Betsey E. (Brainard) Tillotson d. July 17, 1848, ae. 27 yrs., 11 mos., 8 ds. Mr. George Tillotson d.

Tillotson child:

- i. CORNELIA, b. ———; m. John Whyler, and lives in Norwalk, Ohio.

137. NANCY ANN⁷ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; m., in 1840, William W. Ainger, b. April 9, 1817, in Sandusky, now Fremont, Ohio, son of Jesse and Anna (Mann) Ainger. Mr. Jesse Ainger came from Vt. about 1825 and settled in the town of W. Andover, Ohio. He was a lawyer in Chagrin Falls, Ohio. Mr. William W. Ainger d. May 9, 1861, in his 47th yr., in Chagrin Falls, Ohio. Mrs. Nancy Ann (Brainard) Ainger d. July 9, 1876, at the same place.

Ainger children:

- i. MARCIA, b. March 20, 1842; m. James H. Armour; res. Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.
 ii. DANIEL BRAINERD, b. March 9, 1844; m. Nov. 29, 1866, Fannie Rhodes, in Napoleon, Ohio. He is on *The Charlotte Republican* at Charlotte, Mich. He enl. Aug. 24, 1861, for 3 yrs. in Co. H, 2d Regt. O. Vol. Cav.; trans. from Co. K Feb. 17, 1863; disc. April 15, 1863, on surgeon's certificate of disability.
 iii. CLARA, b. 1846; m. Jas. W. Strawn of Allair, Ill. She m. (2), M. A. Wheeler; res. Fostoria, Ohio.
 iv. CHARLES F., b. 1845; m. Mch. 28, 1885, ———; res. Cleveland, Ohio; d. Jan. 21, 1890, in Sandusky, at the Soldiers' Home. Two daus.
 v. FRANK B., b. 1852; m. Hattie Simms of Alton, Ill.; res. Sturgis, Mich.

138. ALMIRA ADALINE⁷ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; m., June 1, 1846, Charles D. Ainger, b. Nov. 11, 1825, son of Jesse and Anna (Mann) Ainger. He was an attorney and loan and collection agent at Andover, Ohio. He has lived in Espyville, Crawford Co., Pa., and was a merchant. Mrs. Almira Adaline (Brainard) Ainger d. Oct. 11 or Nov. 14, 1865, ae. 45 yrs., 7 mos., 10 dys. Mr. Charles D. Ainger d.

Ainger children :

- i. FLORENCE MARLES, b. ———.
- ii. MARILLA, b. ———.
- iii. IDA MAY, b. ———.
- iv. KATE, b. ———.
- v. CHARLIE EDWIN, b. ———.
- vi. JESSE BRAINERD, b. ———.

139. ESTHER MARILLA⁷ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; m., May 3, 1849, James S. Fouke, b. ———. He lived in Napoleon, Ohio. He was a merchant in Little Sandusky, Ohio, in 1854. Mr. James S. Fouke d. ———. Mrs. Esther Marilla (Brainard) Fouke d. ———. In 1891 she lived in Elinore, Ohio.

Fouke children :

- i. CLARA MARIA, b. ———.
- ii. JAMES BRAINARD, b. ———.
- iii. JENNIE HAMLIN, b. ———.
- iv. WILLIE LINCOLN, b. ———.
- v. HARRY BROUGH, b. ———.
- vi. JULIA LENOR, b. ———.

140. ELECTA SOPHIA⁷ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; m., Aug. 26, 1851, in Fremont, Ohio, Edgar Kasson Gaston, b. May 10, 1830, in Richmond, Mass., son of ———. He was a direct descendant of Gascon de Paix, nephew of Louis XII of France, the leader of the victorious French army at the great battle of Ravenna in 1512. He was a merchant residing in Beloit, Wis., in 1854. Mr. Edgar Kasson Gaston d. Oct. 19, 1872, in his 42d yr., in Reno City, Nev. Mrs. Electa Sophia (Brainard) Gaston d. Oct. 3, 1875, in her 44th yr.

Gaston children :

- i. ELLA MARIA, b. Oct. 30, 1852, in Fremont, Ohio; d. June 13, 1862.
- ii. EDGAR BRAINARD, b. April 26, 1854, in Beloit, Wis.
- iii. FLORA ELECTA, b. Sept. 25, 1859, in Pecatonica, Ill.; m. E. H. Lewis; res. St. Joseph, Mich. He is manager of the International Brick Co.

141. MARYETTE E.⁷ BRAINARD (*Daniel⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; m., Feb. 14, 1866, Robert G. Laughlin, b. Jan. 3, 1839, in New York, N. Y., son of John Anderson and Harriet (Graham) Laughlin. He was a carpenter in Sandusky, Ohio. Mr. Robert G. Laughlin, d. Sept., 1873, ae. 34 yrs. Mrs. Maryette E. (Brainard) Laughlin d. ———.

Laughlin children:

- i. JOHN GRAHAM, b. Jan. 1 or 4, 1867, in Fremont, Ohio.
- ii. HARRIET MARCIA, b. Jan. 2, 1869, in Pecatonica, Ill.
- iii. ROBERT BRAINERD, b. May 31, 1871, in Pecatonica, Ill.

142. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) m., in Canada West, Jane Preffer, b. _____, dau. of Seth and Jennie (Steele) Preffer. He was a joiner by trade. In his early life he sailed with his father on the lakes, then went to Port Stanley, Canada West. He returned to Clinton Co., Iowa, and engaged in a store till 1861, when he went south. Mr. William Augustus Brainard d. in Iowa.

Children:

- i. MARY HELEN, b. Nov. 15, 1846; d. Sept. 1, 1847.
236. ii. ALFRED FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 1, 1849, at Ft. Stanley, Canada.
237. iii. WILLIAM DELOSS, b. _____.
- iv. CHARLES, b. March 19, 1861 or 1862; d. ae. 5 mos.

143. CHARLES NELSON⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of _____; m., _____, Eliza Annie Harris, b. _____. He was a farmer, carpenter, and wheelwright. Mr. Charles Nelson Brainard d. Aug. 7, 1891, in Dearborn, Mich. Mrs. Eliza Annie (Harris) Brainard d. in Dearborn, Wayne Co., Mich., where she had resided.

Children: several.

144. NANCY AMANDA⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of _____; m., _____, March 20, 1859, Elijah H. Woodward, or Woodworth, of Middleport, New York., b. Oct. 28, 1822, son of Ransom and _____ (Hubbard) Woodward. He was a stove manufacturer. Mr. Elijah H. Woodward d. Nov. 9, 1876. Mrs. Nancy Amanda (Brainard) Woodward d. Nov. 2, 1888.

No children.

145. MARY ZIDELIA⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of _____; m., _____, Edward Perin in Wisconsin. He moved to California about 1851, and kept a hotel in San Francisco, Cal. On the way there his team gave out and he had to foot it about 500 miles. Mrs. Mary Zidelia (Brainard) Perin d.

Perin children:

146. AMASA FOX⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Ann Templeton, b.* . His business was on the lakes. No knowledge of him since the Civil War. Mrs. Mary Ann (Templeton) Brainard d. ———. Mr. Amasa Fox Brainard d. ———.

Children:

147. COMFORT MARIA⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ; m. James Monroe Wells, b. . He lived in Chicago, Ill. Mr. James Monroe Wells died about 1870. Mrs. Comfort Maria (Brainard) Wells d. Jan. 6, 1896.

Wells children:

- i. ELLA MINERVA, b. Sept. 5, 1857; m. Samuel Lawrence Pierson. Ch.: 1. Frank Woodworth, b. May 26, 1875. 2. Edwin Lawrence, b. Nov. 4, 1877.
- ii. ANA MARIA, b. Sept. 26, 1859; m. Frank Leonard. One ch.: he d. ———. She m. (2), Ralph B. Sutcliffe. He d. in 1891. She m. (3), Abraham J. Crance; res. New York city.

148. GEORGE WASHINGTON⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ; m., April 14, 1859, at Charlotte, Clinton Co., Iowa, Martha Ellen Rickey, b. Feb. 9, 1838, in Bristol, Ohio, dau. of George Rickey, b. in Ireland, and his wife Martha Colton, b. in Scotland. He left home at the age of 10, and went to Charlotte, Iowa; from there he went to Guthrie Co., Iowa, and worked at the trade of a carpenter. In 1875 he went to Plattsmouth, Neb. In 1884 he moved to Minden, Neb., and engaged in general merchandise in that place. Mr. George Washington Brainard d.

Children:

- i. MARY HELEN, b. May 4, 1860, in Charlotte, Iowa.
- ii. AUGUSTA MAY, b. March 12, 1862, in Charlotte, Iowa.
- iii. CHARLES NELSON, b. March 13, 1864, in Charlotte, Iowa; d. in infancy.
- iv. ALICE CARLOTTA, b. March 28, 1865, in Charlotte, Iowa.
- v. THOMAS ALFRED, b. July 12, 1867, in Charlotte, Iowa.
- vi. LEWIS SCOTT, b. March 18, 1869, in Charlotte, Iowa.
- vii. OSCEOLA DELOSS, b. Aug. 28, 1871, in Greenfield, Iowa.
- viii. ERNEST DEWITT, b. Feb. 13, 1874, in Casey, Iowa. —
- ix. FRANK LEE, b. March 22, 1876, in Casey, Iowa.
- x. LILLIE GRACE, b. July 28, 1879, in Casey, Iowa; d. in 1881 or 1882.
- xi. ESTELLA CLARK, b. March 24, 1886, in Minden, Neb.

149. LEWIS SCOTT⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ; m. Jeannette of Vermont, b. . He belonged to Co. A, 15th Regt. of Iowa Vols., Capt. Kittle. He d. of fever at Corinth, Miss. He was educated in Canada, then returned to the United States and formed a partnership with his brother, William Augustus Brainard. In

1904 her home was in Lyons, Iowa. Mr. Lewis Scott Brainard d. ———.

Child:

i. A dau., b. ———.

150. ESTHER CORNELIA⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ———; m., Charles J. Hedstrom of Detroit, Mich., b. ——— son of ———. Mr. Charles J. Hedstrom d. ———. She m. (2), Feb. 19, 1879, Francis Bond Head Bonter*, b. Sept. 25, 1837, in Belleville, Ontario, Can., son of Jacob and Sarah (Cole) Bonter, formerly of Prince Edward Co., Can. His first wife was Lodica Mary Sprage, to whom he was married March 8, 1865. He resides in Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Esther Cornelia (Brainard) (Hedstrom) Bonter d.

Hedstrom child by the first marriage:

- i. ALBERT ELIAS, b. Nov. 3, 1869; m. Gertie Donoghue. She d. Dec., 1896. No ch. He m. (2), Eva May Stevens. Ch.: 1. Warren Waterman, b. April 17, 1899.

Bonter children by the second marriage:

- ii. DELLA GERTRUDE, b. July 9, 1881, in Chicago, Ill.; m. James Curran. Ch.: 1. Helen Eva, b. Dec. 28, 1897, in Chicago, Ill.
iii. BORMLEY PHILLO, b. May 14, 1884, in Chicago, Ill.
iv. FRANCIS JACOB, b. Jan. 16, 1885, in Chicago, Ill.

151. LAURA ANN⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ———; m. William Spikeman, b. ———. He resided in Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Laura Ann (Brainard) Spikeman d. ———.

Spikeman children:

152. JEREMIAH GATES⁷ BRAINARD (*Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of ———; m., April 3, 1882, at Dearborn, Mich., Louisa M. DeLorme, b. March 10, 1862. He had vessels on the lake. He lived and died at Dearborn, Mich. Mr. Jeremiah Gates Brainard d. ———.

Children:

- i. OLIVE JOSEPHINE, b. April 6, 1883.
ii. LAURA ETHEL, b. July 16, 1885.
iii. ARTHUR STEPHEN, b. April 18, 1887.
iv. HARRY EDWARD, b. Feb. 11, 1889.
v. EDNA MAY, b. Aug. 7, 1890; d. Oct. 31, 1894.
vi. WILFRED EARL, b. Aug. 28, 1893.
vii. ESTHER CORNELIA, b. Aug. 18, 1894.

*The name was originally Banta; the spelling was changed in Canada.

- viii. ADMERALE DEWEY, b. April 2, 1897.
- ix. ALBERT REGINOLD, b. April 8, 1899.
- x. A child, b. 1900.

153. LUCRETIA⁷ BRAINERD (*William Fowler⁶, Jeremiah Gates⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of New London, New London Co., Conn.; m., Aug. 1, 1854, Robert Coit, Jr., b. April 26, 1830, son of Robert and Charlotte (Coit) Coit of New London, Conn. He graduated at Yale in 1850, studied law at the Yale Law School and commenced practice in New London, Conn.; was appointed judge of probate in 1866; treasurer of New London R. R. Co. in 1867; register in bankruptcy in the district court for the district of Conn., both of which offices he held in 1870. She was many years superintendent of the primary department of the Sunday School. Her friends keenly felt her death. Mr. Robert Coit, Jr., d. June, 1904. Mrs. Lucretia (Brainard) Coit d. May 6, 1906, in New London.

Coit children:

- i. MARY GARDINER, b. Jan. 1, 1857, in New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 6, 1860.
- ii. WILLIAM BRAINERD, b. July 23, 1862, in New London, Conn.; m. Oct. 30, 1883, Anna Blanchard Bancroft.

154. MARY E.⁷ BRAINERD (*Ephraim⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 10, 1850, Dwight Banning, b. April 8, 1826, in Hamilton, N. Y., son of Joseph and Lucetta (Biddell) Banning, of Poolville, N. Y. Joseph Banning was son of Marvin Banning of Connecticut. Lucetta Biddell was from Saratoga, N. Y. He is a farmer in Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y. Mr. Dwight Banning d. Mrs. Mary E. (Brainerd) Banning d.

Banning children:

- i. E. ADELL, b. March 20, 1852, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. Oct. 6, 1875, Gates Comstock, M.D., son of Benj. and Cornelia Hamilton (Booth) Comstock and grandson of Samuel and Rhoda (Lord) Comstock of Conn. Ch.: 1. Dwight, b. April 8, 1881. 2. Clarence, b. April 12, 1883. Both b. in Norwalk, Conn.
- ii. NELLIE L., b. March 1, 1857, in Poolville, N. Y.; m. Dec. 18, 1879, Fred S. Dunham, b. Oct. 19, 1856, or March 1, 1857, in Hamilton, N. Y., son of Alexander L. and Esther (Nash) Dunham and grandson of Edward Dunham of Conn. Ch.: Mary Esther, b. Nov., 1880 or 1881, in Hamilton, N. Y. He is a farmer.

155. LYMAN⁷ BRAINERD (*Ephraim⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 11, 1863, Marietta Lee, b. Aug. 29, 1835, dau. of Hial and Lydia (Martin) Lee of Coventry, N. Y. He was a carpenter living in Oneonta, Otsego Co., N. Y. Mr. Lyman Brainerd d. April 19, 1898. Mrs. Marietta (Lee) Brainerd d.

Children:

238. i. FRANK LEE, b. Jan. 23, 1866, in Smyrna, N. Y. He is a carpenter in Oneonta, N. Y.
 ii. MINNIE LUSENA, b. Oct. 16, 1872, in Oneonta, N. Y.
156. LYDIA C.⁷ BRAINERD (*Ephraim⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 24, 1867, George H. Bradley, b. Oct. 3, 1841, in Eaton, N. Y., son of Amos and Sarah (Westcott) Bradley. He was in the laundry business in Herkimer, N. Y. Mrs. Lydia C. (Brainerd) Bradley d.

Bradley children:

- i. CHARLIE A., b. Nov. 20, 1867, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 ii. WALTER E., b. Aug. 28, 1869, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 iii. ADA L., b. Aug. 6, 1871, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 iv. G. ARTHUR, b. Aug. 22, 1873, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 v. FRED A., b. Aug. 19, 1878, in Hamilton, N. Y.
 vi. FLOYD E., b. March 26, 1881, in Hamilton, N. Y.
157. PHEBE MARY⁷ BRAINERD (*Amasa Orlando⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Aug. 24, 1847, Charles Burlingame, b. March 16, 1824, in Madison, N. Y., son of William and Harriette (Paddock) Burlingame of the same place. He lives in Hamilton, N. Y. Mrs. Phebe Mary (Brainerd) Burlingame d.

Burlingame children:

- i. DEALTON, b. Nov. 25, 1848, in Hamilton, N. Y.; m. March 2, 1875, Clara Lamb. He is a farmer in Hamilton, N. Y.
 ii. ELLA E., b. May 23, 1858, in Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Feb. 8, 1877, William Lamb. He is a farmer in Hamilton, N. Y.
 iii. ETTA, b. Jan. 24, 1862, in Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Feb. 24, 1881, Amos Lamb. He is a farmer in Hamilton, N. Y.
158. JOSHUA FREDERIC⁷ BRAINERD (*Amasa Orlando⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., April 7, 1853, Lydia J. Simmons, b. Jan. 16, 1833, dau. of Newman and Elsie (Huntington) Simmons of Lebanon, N. Y. He was a farmer in Hamilton, N. Y. Mrs. Lydia J. (Simmons) Brainerd d. Nov. 20, 1856. He m. (2), Nov. 9, 1857, Sarah Jennie Simmons, b. April 30, 1837, sister to his first wife. Mr. Joshua Frederic Brainerd d. Feb. 13, 1894, aged 67 yrs., 7 mos., 9 ds. Mrs. Sarah Jennie (Simmons) Brainerd d.

Child by the first marriage:

- i. F. S., b. Nov. 14, 1856, in Hamilton, N. Y.

Child by the second marriage:

- ii. W. N., b. July 6, 1861, in Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Oct. 27, 1871.

159. ELIZABETH⁷ BRAINERD (*Amasa Orlando⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., March 19, 1846, Edward Richmond, b. July 17,

1824, son of David and Mary (Simmons) Richmond. He lived in Poolville, or Hamilton, N. Y., and was a farmer. Mrs. Elizabeth (Brainerd) Richmond d. Aug. 12, 1867, aged 37 yrs., 9 mos., 22 ds. Mr. Edward Richmond d.

No children.

- ^c 160. WILLIAM⁷ BRAINERD (*Amasa Orlando⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., 1858, M. J. Davis, b. in 1840, dau. of N. and (Menzo) Davis. He was a farmer in Mission, Neosha Co., Kans. Mr. William Brainerd d. ———. Mrs. M. J. (Davis) Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. BERTHA, b. 1859, in Illinois.
- ii. ELMER, b. 1861.

161. MARY ANN⁷ BRAINERD (*Amasa Orlando⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 4, 1853, Sanford Murdock, b. April 13, 1831, in Earlville, N. Y., son of Joshua and Ruth (Chase) Murdock. He is a farmer in Hamilton, N. Y. Mrs. Mary Ann (Brainerd) Murdock d. ———. Mr. Sanford Murdock d.

Murdock child:

- i. WILLIE E., b. Aug. 2, 1874, in Hamilton, N. Y.

- ^c 162. MENZO⁷ BRAINERD (*Amasa Orlando⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., ———, Jennie (Shapley) Burnap, b. Feb. 4, 1839, dau. of Cordon Shapley of Hamilton, N. Y., and widow of John Burnap. Mrs. Jennie (Shapley) (Burnap) Brainerd d. July 14, 1882. He m. (2), Feb. 16, 1888, Olive (Murdock) Bedient, b. June 22, 1835, in Lebanon, N. Y., dau. of Joshua and Ruth (Chase) Murdock, and widow of Philo Bedient. He enlisted, Sept. 6, 1861, in the 1st Engineer Regt. of Missouri Vol., Capt. William G. Patten. He was corporal. Mr. Menzo Brainerd d. ———.

No children.

163. LUCY ANN⁷ BRAINERD (*Day⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 9, 1847, James Russell, Jr., b. May 11, 1822, son of James and Rachel (Hammond) Russell of Gainesville, N. Y. Mrs. Lucy Ann (Brainerd) Russell d. June 30, 1861, ae. 35 yrs. He was a farmer in Gainesville. He has been twice married since the death of his wife. Mr. James Russell d.

No children.

- ^d 164. CHAUNCEY⁷ BRAINERD (*Day⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m.,

Oct. 24, 1858, Elina or Elvira Johnson, b. March 26, 1839, in Pike, N. Y., dau. of Stanton and Eliza (Gilbert) Johnson. He is a farmer living on the homestead where his father and grandfather lived, which is a portion of the original homestead obtained from the "Holland Purchase Co." When a young man he went to California, but returned to his native place, Gainesville, N. Y., where he has since remained. Mr. Chauncey Brainerd d.

Mrs. Elina or Elvira (Johnson) Brainerd d.

No children.

165. MARY JANE⁷ BRAINERD (*Day⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 6, 1855, Levi P. Rider, b. June 30, 1832, in Spring water, N. Y., son of Rufus and Almira (Grover) Rider. He was a farmer. He resided in the town of Castile, Wyoming Co., N. Y. Mrs. Mary Jane (Brainerd) Rider d. Dec. 29, 1903, in Castile, N. Y.

Rider children:

- i. EMMA DELL, b. April 10, 1860, in Castile, N. Y.; m. March 1, 1882, Walter Samuel Brownell, b. Feb. 5, 1857, in Baltimore, Md., son of Samuel and Margaret (Ernst) Brownell. Ch.: 1. Grace Emily, b. Nov. 28, 1882. 2. Willie Rider, b. Oct. 10, 1884. Both b. in Castile, N. Y.
- ii. WILLIAM BRAINARD, b. April 29, 1866, in Castile, N. Y.; m. March 17, 1887, Katherine Julia Ann Altoft, b. Jan. 23, 1864, dau. of John and Mary (Stamp) Altoft. Her parents came from England. He lives in Gainesville, N. Y.

166. MARTHA ELIZA⁷ BRAINARD (*Day⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 31, 1858, Horace Wadsworth, b. Jan. 1, 1833, son of Horace and Eliza (Johnson) Wadsworth. He was a farmer in Castile, N. Y., the most of his life, but lived the last few years in the village of Castile. Mr. Horace Wadsworth d. . Mrs. Martha Elisa (Brainerd) Wadsworth d.

Wadsworth children:

- i. AUGUSTUS, b. Oct. 3, 1865, in Castile, N. Y.; d. June 29, 1868, from the effects of swallowing phosphorus from matches.
- ii. AUGUSTA, b. July 1, 1872, in Castile, N. Y.

167. JULIA A.⁷ BRAINERD (*Day⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., April 15, 1863, Edson J. Quigley, b. June 29, 1840, son of Ashable and Sarah (Jackson) Quigley. He was many years a teacher in Wyoming Co., N. Y. He moved to Illinois, where he followed the same profession. He returned to Wyoming Co., and engaged in teaching until he was elected to the office of county school commissioner, which he held for two terms, a period of six years, when he accepted the professorship of Pike Seminary, which position he occupied June, 1888. Mr. Edson J. Quigley d. . Mrs. Julia A. (Brainerd) Quigley d.

Quigley children:

- i. WARREN AUGUSTUS, b. Sept. 22, 1866, in Yorkville, Ill.; d. Feb. 2, 1867, ae. 4 mos., 11 ds.
- ii. LUCY MARIA, b. April 17, 1870, in Yorkville, Ill.

168. CORNELIA ELIZABETH⁷ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 24, 1850, George Fuller, b. Jan. 23, 1824, son of Solomon and Eunice (Gay) Fuller. They settled on a farm in Gainesville, but removed to Chesterfield, McComb Co., Mich., where they resided June, 1888. Mrs. Cornelia Elizabeth (Brainerd) Fuller d. .
Mr. George Fuller d.

Fuller children:

- i. FRANK ADELBERT, b. Nov. 16, 1851, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. ALBERT PALMER, b. Feb. 10, 1855, in Columbus, Mich.
- iii. EVA AMANDA, b. June 1, 1857, in Columbus, Mich.; m. Feb. 29, 1888, William Frank Weston, b. April 16, 1859, son of Holmes and Hannah P. (Hoyt) Weston.
- iv. ELA EMELINE, b. Jan. 19, 1859, in Columbus, Mich.
- v. ELMER, b. Dec. 10, 1860, in Columbus, Mich.; m. April 3, 1888, Maude Maurice.
- vi. ESTELLE MARY, b. April 29, 1864, in Columbus, Mich.; m. Dec. 24, 1884, Park Winters Stuart, b. Jan. 28, 1859, son of John and Alvira (Richards) Stuart. She d. May 9, 1886. Ch.: 1. Estelle Mary, b. Oct. 25, 1885; d. Sept. 17, 1886.
- vii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. May 13, 1866, in Columbus, Mich.
- viii. JULIETTE, b. May 5, 1868, in Columbus, Mich.

169. JULIA EMELINE⁷ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 4, 1855, William O. Fuller, b. March 20, 1832, son of Solomon and Eunice (Gay) Fuller. He settled in Columbus, St. Clair Co., Mich. He was a farmer. Mrs. Julia Emeline (Brainerd) Fuller d. Nov. 16, 1856, ae. 23 yrs., 7 mos., 6 ds. Mr. William O. Fuller d.

Fuller child:

- i. ELTON BRAINERD, b. July 13, 1856, in Columbus, Mich.; m. Jan. 24, 1884, Ada C. Black, b. Aug. 8, 1862, dau. of William and Alice (Taylor) Black. Ch.: 1. Myrtle B., b. Nov. 30, 1885.

170. MARY ADALINE⁷ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., March 30, 1857, Palmer Fuller, b. July 29, 1834, in Castile, N. Y., son of Solomon and Eunice (Gay) Fuller. He is a farmer in Columbus, St. Clair Co., Mich. Mrs. Mary Adaline (Brainerd) Fuller d. .
Mr. Palmer Fuller d.

Fuller children:

- i. WILBUR CLAYTON, b. Oct. 17, 1862, in Columbus, Mich.; m. March 3, 1886, Etta Welding, b. in Richmond, McCourt Co., Mich., dau. of Barclay and Emily (Mills) Welding.

- ii. EUNICE ADELL, b. April 27, 1864, in Columbus, Mich.; m. July 28, 1882, Will Smith, b. in China, St. Clair Co., Mich., son of Adolphus and Tamson (Lockwood) Smith. Ch.: 1. Fay Waldo, b. Feb. 24, 1844. 2. Floyd Stanley, b. April 6, 1845. Both b. in Columbus, Mich. 3. Carrie Pearl, b. Oct. 3, 1887, in Elk, Mich.

171. JAMES MARTIN⁷ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., June 29, 1865, Sarah J. Gibson, b. Aug. 9, 1844, in Kirton, England, dau. of Job and Sarah (Harrison) Gibson. Mrs. Sarah J. (Gibson) Brainerd d. Sept. 5, 1875, ae. 31 yrs. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He m. (?), June 21, 1876, Delora Higgins, b. Sept. 23, 1852, at Pedro, Genessee Co., N. Y., dau. of Samuel and Betsey (Cornwell) Higgins. When a young man he went to Michigan and there learned the miller's trade. He afterwards returned to Gainesville, N. Y., and engaged in farming. He then had an interest in the Gainesville Mills, grist and sawmill, the firm being known as Hickey & Brainerd. By his honest and upright dealing he gained the confidence and esteem of all with whom he had intercourse. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was a Christian among the few who lived up to what he professed and believed right. He was a member of the A. O. U. W. and of the E. A. U., and of the Davis Division, S. of P. His loss will be sadly felt in each of these organizations, in all of which he held prominent and important offices as long as health permitted. He served as supervisor and held other town offices. He was superintendent of the Sabbath School. He was ever ready for the upbuilding of every religious, temperance, and moral work. His mission on earth was to do good, and he was never known to speak ill of any person. He was an affectionate and kind husband and father, and a person of whom no man spoke ill, and though he was called after having traveled life's pathway over, and while the "shadows still were falling toward the west," his mission on earth was well done and we trust our loss is his eternal gain. While on his way to Colorado for the benefit of his health, he stopped in Quincy, Ill., where he d. April 10, 1888. His remains were brought back to Gainesville for interment. Mrs. Delora (Higgins) Brainerd d. March 13, 1897.

Children by the first marriage:

239. i. CORA EMELINE, b. Oct. 1, 1868, in Gainesville, N. Y.
 240. ii. FRED GIBSON, b. Feb. 24, 1870, in Gainesville, N. Y.

172. WILBUR ELISHA⁷ BRAINERD (*Elisha⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 25, 1866, Clarissa Michael, b. Feb. 4, 1844, in Mt. Morris, Livermore Co., N. Y., dau. of Jacob and Martha (Lowe) Michael. He lived on the homestead of his

father, which was a portion of the "Holland Purchase" made by his grandfather, Elisha Brainerd. In 1866 he purchased an interest in the grocery and hardware business with Edward Stamp. He enlisted in 186—, in the 130th Regt. of N. Y. Vol., or 1st N. Y. Dragoons, and served 3 yrs. Mr. Wilbur Elisha Brainerd d. April 27, 1886, ac. 40 yrs., 6 mos., 7 ds., in Gainesville, N. Y. She m. (2), Feb. 23, 1888, Edward Stamp, b. May 20, 1853, in Perry, N. Y., son of William and Sarah (Pinner) Stamp of England. Mr. Edward Stamp d. Mrs. Clarissa (Michael) (Brainerd) Stamp d.

Children:

241. i. BERTIE MORRIS, b. Dec. 24, 1867 or 1868, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. NELLIE ADALINE, b. March 1, 1875, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- iii. GRACIE, b. Feb. 10, 1880, in Gainesville, N. Y.

173. FRANKLIN AUGUSTUS⁷ BRAINERD (*Luke⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., March 4, 1870, Grace Bryant, b. Feb. 11, 1852, in Gainesville, N. Y., dau. of John and Mary (Parker) Bryant. He left his home when a boy and sought his fortune in the west, settling near Silver City, Owyhee Co., Idaho Ter. He returned to New York in 1870.

The following is from the Silver City paper: "When about 21 yrs. of age, he came across the plains to California as a teamster with the expedition of General Hancock. Arriving in California, he resided awhile in Marysville, he then took the Idaho gold fever and in 1862, or '63, came to Lewiston, where he engaged in placer mining until the gold fields of the Owyhee country were discovered, when he left that place and arrived in Silver City in 1863, with R. H. Tregaskis, stopping at Boonville, where he was engaged as a clerk for a short time. He subsequently came to this city, where, in 1864, he opened a livery stable, which he conducted about one year, when he sold and took up a ranch in Pleasant Valley in company with a man named Killingsworth, and became a farmer. The Indians being on the war path at that time prevented their doing much farming and in the course of a couple of years, Killingsworth sold out to Mr. S. N. Smith, who, in company with Mr. Brainerd, did a good business. Mr. Smith subsequently sold his interest in the ranch to him."

He was a man of more than average intelligence, honest and industrious. He made many friends, who were always cordially welcomed to his home. His ranch contained a good house, barn, and corrals, well stocked with several hundred horses and cattle.

He was buried in the Masonic Cemetery at Hot Springs, Ark., he having been a Mason in good standing at the time of his death.

His wife so mourned his death, and overcome with the care and responsibility of the large ranch, in a fit of despondency and grief, she took her life. She was universally beloved by all her friends. The Masonic fraternity, of which her husband was a member, took charge of the remains and laid them by the side of her husband.

Mr. Franklin Augustus Brainerd d. April 15, 1887, at Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. Grace (Bryant) Brainerd d. July 15, 1887, in Gainesville, N. Y.

No children.

174. LYMAN L.⁷ BRAINARD (*Luke⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 20, 1867, Olivia Van Klack, b. April 28, 1848, in Monday, Livingstone Co., N. Y., dau. of Baltus and Emeline (Vail) Van Klack. He was a farmer in Pike for a number of years. He sold his farm, and removed to Castile, N. Y., where he engaged in farming and peach raising. Mr. Lyman L. Brainard d. Mrs. Olivia (Van Klack) Brainard d.

Child:

- i. GERTRUDE, b. Oct. 19, 1871, in Pike, N. Y.

175. LORENZO⁷ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 3, 1870, Mary Avaline Pelton of Castile, N. Y., b. Feb. 13, 1840, in Weston, N. Y., dau. of Luther E. and Eunice (Dodge) Pelton of Buckland, Franklin Co., Mass. He served three years in the army, and was honorably discharged. He is engaged in farming at Castile, N. Y. Mr. Lorenzo Brainerd d. Mrs. Mary Avaline (Pelton) Brainard d.

No children.

176. ADDISON H.⁷ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., March 3, 1864, Ellen Munger, b. April 16, 1845, in Warsaw, Wyoming Co., N. Y., dau. of Robert R. and Eliza (Johnson) Munger. He was for a number of years a farmer in Warsaw, N. Y., but in 1888 lived at Armada, McComb Co., Mich. Mr. Addison H. Brainerd d. Sept. 8, 1902. Mrs. Ellen (Munger) Brainerd d.

No children.

177. JULIA MARIA⁷ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 17, 1857, George E. Fuller, b. Sept. 22, 1832, in Shaftsbury, Vt., son of Joseph and Sarah (Blakelee) Fuller. Mr. George E. Fuller d. Sept. 20, 1868. She m. (2), Oct. 21, 1869, Abram Fuller, b. July 2, 1828, in

Gainesville, N. Y., son of William and Candace (Yates) Fuller. His second marriage. Her first husband was a farmer living in Gainesville, N. Y. Her second husband is a farmer at Gurnee, Lake Co., Ill., where they resided (June, 1888). Mr. Abram Fuller had two ch. by his first wife. Mr. Abram Fuller d. Mrs. Julia Maria (Brainard) (Fuller) Fuller d.

No children.

- ✓ 178. JAMES FRANKLIN⁷ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 21, 1866, Martha Price, b. July 15, 1838, in Gainesville, N. Y., dau. of Thomas and Eliza (Bills) Price. He was a farmer in Gainesville for a number of years, when he moved to Anamosa, Jones Co., Iowa, and settled on a farm. He raised cattle and swine for the Chicago market. Mr. James Franklin Brainard d. March 12, 1902. Mrs. Martha (Price) Brainard d.

Children:

242. i. FRED, b. May 12, 1868, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. GRACE MARY, b. Oct. 19, 1871, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Oct. 7, 1879.
- iii. WALTER, b. July 4, 1873, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Sept. 25, 1873.
- iv. WARREN, b. July 4, 1873, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Sept. 26, 1873.
- v. GEORGE MORTON, b. April 26, 1880.

179. EDGAR H.⁷ BRAINARD (*Stephen⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., January 20, 1870, Mary Hawley, b. Feb. 16, 1852, in Gainesville, N. Y., dau. of Marvin and Lucy (Foster) Hawley. Mrs. Mary (Hawley) Brainard d. Nov. 17, 1873, ae. 21 yrs., 9 mos., 1 d. He m. (2), Dec. 23, 1874, Cornelia C. Lawson, b. Dec. 24, 1852, in Warren, Lake Co., Ill., dau. of Thomas V. and Sarah (Tuttle) Lawson. After the death of his first wife he moved to Gurnee, Ill.; after his second marriage to Neb. He was a farmer. He lived in Waukegan, Ill. (1888). and was a manufacturer. Mr. Edgar H. Brainard d. Mrs. Cornelia C. (Lawson) Brainard d.

Children by the second marriage:

- i. FRANK E., b. March 29, 1883, in Neb.; d. Dec. 4, 1886.
- ii. RAY, b. July 21, 1888, in Waukegan, Ill.; d. Aug. 8, 1888.
- iii. JULIA MAY, b. July 21, 1888, in Waukegan, Ill.; d. Oct. 14, 1888.

180. FRANCES L.⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Algansee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., July 3, 1861, John S. Wood, b. Feb. 24, 1829,

in Matteson, Branch Co., Mich., son of Job and () Wood. He resided in Coldwater, Mich., and ran a sawmill. Mr. John S. Wood d. Dec. 12, 1888, ae. 59 yrs., 9 mos., 18 ds. Mrs. Frances L. (Brainard) Wood d. Feb. 17, or March 5, 1892, at Coldwater, Mich.

Wood children:

- i. LINCOLN E., b. April 19, 1869, in Alganzee, Mich.
- ii. ADDIE S., b. April 21, 1870, in Flint, Ind.
- iii. RUSSELL G., b. Aug. 31, 1872, in Alganzee, Mich.
- iv. CORLAN H., b. Dec. 5, 1876, in Matteson, Mich.

181. MAHLON W.⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Alganzee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., Jan. 16, 1859, Mehepsibeth Dufour, b. Jan. 26, 1837, in Brownhelm, Lorain Co., Ohio, dau. of Noah and Polly (Bryant) Dufour. He is a merchant in Coldwater, Mich. Mr. Mahlon W. Brainard d. . Mrs. Mehepsibeth (Dufour) Brainard d.

Children:

243. i. CARRIE A., b. Jan. 27, 1866, in Alganzee, Mich.
- ii. ARTHUR M., b. May 8, 1871, in Alganzee, Mich.; d. Aug. 2, 1871.

182. CAROLINE L.⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Alganzee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., Feb. 1, 1866, George Lombard, b. Sept. 20, 1843, in Hartford, Windsor Co., Vt., son of Albert and Arabella (Woodward) Lombard. He was a farmer. Mr. George Lombard d. July 22, 1875, ae. 31 yrs., 9 mos., 12 ds., in Lapeer, Mich. She afterward lived in Kingston, Mich. Mrs. Caroline L. (Brainard) Lombard d. ———.

Lombard child:

- i. ADA S., b. April 4, 1868, in Lapeer, Mich.; m. Feb. 8, 1893.

183. RUCKSBE JANETTE⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Alganzee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., April 21, 1861, George Q. Rice, b. March 26, 1839, in Alganzee, Mich., son of Herbert and Catharine (Lemington) Rice. He was a farmer at Alganzee, Mich. Mr. George Q. Rice d. Mrs. Rucksbe Janette (Brainard) Rice d.

Rice children:

- i. BURTON L., b. Nov. 19, 1862, in Alganzee, Mich.; m. June 26, 1886, Rose Kellar, b. April 26, 1864, in Switzerland, dau. of Mr. and Anne (Meyers) Kellar. Ch.: 1. Ethel Fay, b. March 10, 1887. 2. Frances Alma, b. July 8, 1888. 3. Fernie Merl, b. Feb. 7, 1890. 4. Nellie Love, b. Feb. 3, 1892. 5. Fred Lewellyn, b. Oct. 26, 1897. 6. George Quincy, b. April 14, 1899.
- ii. ELY R., b. Aug. 21, 1866, in Quincy, Mich.; d. March 16, 1868.
- iii. PEARL L., b. Jan. 19, 1875, in Alganzee, Mich.; m. June 26, 1893, Burton Bickford. Ch.: 1. Orvil Ray, b. Jan. 28, 1894.

184. AUGUSTA A.⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Alganzee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., July 8, 1873, George Caldwell, b. July 3, 1846, in Orleans Co., N. Y., son of James and Margaret (Griffen) Caldwell. He is a farmer in Alganzee, Mich. Mr. George Caldwell d. Mrs. Augusta A. (Brainard) Caldwell d.

Caldwell child:

- i. CHARLES M., b. May 7, 1874, in Coldwater, Mich.

185. CORLAN E.⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Alganzee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., May 26, 1867, Sarah Drury, b. Feb. 21, 1844, in Huron Co., Ohio, dau. of Harry and Abigail (Twiss) Drury. He is a farmer in Alganzee, Mich. Mr. Corlan E. Brainerd d. Mrs. Sarah (Drury) Brainerd d.

Child:

- i. ABBIE M., b. Sept. 6, 1872, in Alganzee, Mich.

186. SCOVEL GERMAINE⁷ BRAINARD (*Ezra Styles Ely⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Alganzee, Branch Co., Mich.; m., Nov. 8, 1874, Alice Jane Burch, b. Dec. 28, 1855, in Tuscarora, Ill., dau. of Stephen and Jane (Conover) Burch. He is a farmer in Alganzee. Mrs. Alice Jane (Burch) Brainerd d. March 5, 1892. He m. (2), April 13, 1893, Lottie L. Carrithers of Alganzee, Mich., b. June 25, 1873, dau. of James and Melvina Evaline (Brown) Carrithers. He resided (1902) in Quincy, Mich. Mr. Scovel Germaine Brainard d.

Children by the first marriage:

- i. BURDICIE B., b. Nov. 26, 1875, in Alganzee, Mich.; d. Sept. 17, 1876.
ii. FLOYD L., b. March 16, 1891, in Alganzee, Mich.

Children by the second marriage:

- iii. GLADYS B., b. July 11, 1897, in Alganzee, Mich.
iv. VERA PAULINE, b. Jan. 8, 1901, in Alganzee, Mich.

187. LAURA ANN⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Aug. 6, 1861, Clarkson A. Hall, b. July 29, 1839, in Hermitage, Wyoming Co., N. Y., son of David and Lucy M. (Bacon) Hall. He resided many years in Wethersfield, Wyoming Co., N. Y., and was then a farmer, afterward a school teacher. In 1878, he was elected to the office of County School Commissioner, which office he held for nine years. In the spring of 1888, he removed to Dakota with his family and resumed farming. Mr. Clarkson A. Hall d. Mrs. Laura Ann (Brainerd) Hall d.

Hall children:

- i. BERKLEY DEAN, b. May 29, 1865, in Hermitage, N. Y.; d. May 9, 1867.
- ii. JANE BELLE, b. Feb. 11, 1868, in Chester, Mich.
- iii. DORA DELL, b. Aug. 29, 1870, in Knot, Ind.
- iv. A child, b. June 15, 1874, in Wethersfield, N. Y.; d. June 29, 1874.

188. ACHSAH⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., July 3, 1867, Flavel Kingsley, b. March 12, 1846, in Perry, Wyoming Co., N. Y., son of Elias and Nancy (Howe) Kingsley. He was a farmer at Perry. Mr. Flavel Kingsley d. March 30, 1876, ae. 29 yrs., 11 mos., 18 ds. She m. (2), March 25, 1886, Ransom Chaddock, b. Feb. 11, 1842, in Alexander, Genesee Co., N. Y., son of Dennis B. and Polly (Shepard) Chaddock. He is in the real estate, loan and insurance business in Hornersville,* N. Y. Mrs. Achsah (Brainerd) (Kingsley) Chaddock d. Mr. Ransom Chaddock d.

Kingsley children by the first marriage:

- i. MAMIE E., b. Nov. 2, 1870, in Perry, N. Y.; d. April 6, 1876.
- ii. BERTIE A., b. March 26, 1874, in Perry, N. Y.; d. March 28, 1876.

189. MARY⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 25, 1864, Eugene Shepard, b. Oct. 30, 1841, in Bennington, N. Y., son of Martin and Elvira (Green) Shepard. He was a farmer for many years in Wethersfield, N. Y., but in 1888 had a meat market in Pike, N. Y. Mrs. Mary (Brainerd) Shepard d. Mr. Eugene Shepard d.

Shepard children:

- i. ALVIN D., b. June 4, 1868, in Wethersfield, N. Y.
- ii. EVA SMITH, b. Jan. 17, 1874, in Wethersfield, N. Y.; d. April 26, 1879.

190. ELLEN⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., July 1861, in Mich., William Hubbard, b. _____ son of James and Mary (_____) Hubbard. They moved from Gainesville to Indiana. Her husband went to California, since which time he has not been heard from. Mrs. Ellen (Brainerd) Hubbard d.

Hubbard child:

- i. WILLIAM, b. 1868 or 1869, in Ind.

191. FRANCIS⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m.,

* This may have been Hornellsville.

June 2, 1885, Susan M. Eby, b. May 22, 1852, in Stark Co., Ohio, dau. of Daniel L. and Elizabeth (Winger) Eby. He is a farmer and resides in Royce, Osceola Co., Mich. Mr. Francis Brainerd d. Mrs. Susan M. (Eby) Brainerd d.

Child:

- i. HOMER, b. March 12, 1886, in Royce, Mich.

192. ADELL⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., May 25, 1870, John Inglesby, b. June 9, 1844, in Warsaw, N. Y., son of Eba and Emily (Norton) Inglesby. Mrs. Adell (Brainerd) Inglesby d. Mr. John Inglesby d.

No children.

193. WALTER⁷ BRAINERD (*Wells⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., March 17, 1881, Minnie M. Munroe, b. June 27, 1865, dau. of John and Mary (Strevor) Munroe. He is a farmer in Gainesville, N. Y. Mr. Walter Brainerd d. Mrs. Minnie M. (Munroe) Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. NELLIE E., b. March 22, 1883, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. HARRY, b. Feb. 4, 1886, in Gainesville, N. Y.

194. JAMES ELISHA⁷ BRAINERD (*Philander⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., March 22, 1871, in Gainesville, N. Y., Maria Olive Wiseman, b. Aug. 18, 1854, in Gainesville, dau. of Noah and Helen Maria (Vorhees) Wiseman. He is a farmer in Gainesville. He is a man whose amiable disposition and Christian character endears him to all. He has been president of the Gainesville National Bank since its organization Aug. 19, 1901. Mr. James Elisha Brainerd d. Mrs. Maria Olive (Wiseman) Brainerd d.

Child:

244. i. ESTELLE MARIA, b. Feb. 7, 1872, in Gainesville, N. Y.

195. RACHEL ANN⁷ BRAINERD (*Philander⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 1, 1874, Wm. Garrett Wiseman, b. Jan. 7, 1845, in Gainesville, N. Y., son of Noah and Helen Maria (Vorhees) Wiseman. He is a farmer in Gainesville. Mrs. Rachel Ann (Brainerd) Wiseman d. Mr. Wm. Garrett Wiseman d.

Wiseman children:

- i. JULIETTE, b. Dec. 20, 1876, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. LENA BERDELL, b. March 16, 1878, in Gainesville, N. Y.

- iii. RETTIE CAMILLA, b. Aug. 10, 1883, in Gainesville, N. Y.; m. Jan. 1, 1892, Mayne Fuller.
- iv. CLARA ONA, b. Oct. 23, 1884, in Gainesville, N. Y.

- 196.** AUGUSTA JANE⁷ BRAINERD (*Philander⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 1, 1874, Edward Stamp, b. May 20, 1853, in Perry, Wyoming Co., N. Y., son of William and Sarah (Pinner) Stamp, of England. He is a merchant in Gainesville. He enlisted in 186—, in the 130th Regt. of N. Y. Volunteers, or 1st N. Y. Dragoons, serving three years. Mrs. Augusta Jane (Brainerd) Stamp d. May 10, 1887, ae. 31 yrs., 4 mos., 16 ds. He m. (2), Feb. 23, 1888, Clarissa (Michael) Brainerd, widow of Wilbur Elisha Brainerd. Mrs. Clarissa (Michael) (Brainerd) Stamp d. Mr. Edward Stamp d.

Stamp children:

- i. MYRTIE ADELL, b. Sept. 18, 1876, in Gainesville, N. Y.
- ii. ELMER JAY, b. May 12, 1879, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. March 16, 1899.
- iii. IRMIE, b. Sept. 5, 1883, in Gainesville, N. Y.

- 197.** NELLIE OCTAVA⁷ BRAINERD (*Philander⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 18, 1878, John Henry Beaumont, b. Dec. 7, 1853, son of William and Martha (Cockill) Beaumont. He is a farmer in Gainesville. Mrs. Nellie Octava (Brainerd) Beaumont d. Mr. John Henry Beaumont d.

Beaumont child:

- i. A child, b. April 8, 1887, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. April 11, 1887.

- 198.** ELIZABETH ISABELLE⁷ BRAINERD (*David Day⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m., (by Elder Harny Limbacker, pastor of the Baptist Church) Nov. 18, 1876, James M. Hyde, b. Dec. 28, 1853, in Lyneda, Marion Co., Ohio, son of Russell B. and Anna B. () Hyde. He was a farmer in Clarendon. He afterward resided in Newberry Co., Mich. Mrs. Elizabeth Isabelle (Brainerd) Hyde d. Mr. James M. Hyde d.

Hyde children:

- i. EVA MAY, b. May 31, 1879, in Clarendon, Mich.
- ii. WILLIAM EVART, b. March 20, 1881, in Clarendon, Mich.; d. June 24, 1885, ae. 4 yrs., 3 mos., 4 ds., in Ashland, Mich.
- iii. WORTHY FRANKLIN, b. Dec. 4, 1882, in Litchfield, Mich.
- iv. MINNIE ELVERTY, b. Oct. 27, 1884, in Litchfield, Mich.
- v. WALTER LEWIS, b. Aug. 28, 1886, in Ashland, Mich.
- vi. WARREN, b. ——— 1890, in Ashland, Mich.

- 199.** EVA CLARILLA⁷ BRAINERD (*David Day⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co.,

Mich.; m., Feb. 22, 1871, Edwin Fenton, b.

Mrs. Eva Clarilla (Brainerd) Fenton d. Nov. 14, 1872, in Clarendon, Mich. Mr. Edwin Fenton d.

Fenton child:

- i. THEODORE, b. Nov. 14, 1872, in Clarendon, Mich.

200. ADALINE LARRETTA⁷ BRAINERD (*David Day⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m. Nov. 27, 1877, James Troop, Jr., b. Feb. 22, 1859, son of James and Susanna (Frost) Troop. He is a farmer in Clarendon, Mich. Mrs. Adaline Larretta (Brainerd) Troop d. July 13, 1902. Mr. James Troop, Jr., d.

Troop children:

- i. BERTHA M., b. July 13, 1879, in Clarendon, Mich.; m. Sept. 28, 1898, Alva Sweet. Ch.: 1. A son, b. July 30, 1900.
- ii. LIVONIA M., b. Nov. 3, 1881, in Clarendon, Mich.; m. Feb. 10, 1900, Roy Butler.
- iii. DICK, b. July 13, 1902, in Clarendon, Mich.

201. MYLA MALINDA⁷ BRAINERD (*David Day⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m. (by Elder Paddock, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Clarendon, Mich.), May 1, 1881, James Holden, b. Feb. 6, 1851, son of Moses and Polly (Polley) Holden of Pulaski, Hillsdale Co., Mich. He is a farmer in Clarendon, Mich. Mr. James Holden d. ———. Mrs. Myla Malinda (Brainerd) Holden d.

Holden children:

- i. CLAUD LESTER, b. March 20, 1883, in Litchfield, Mich.
- ii. IVA BELL, b. Aug. 14, 1887, in Clarendon, Mich.

202. ADELVIA PHYLISTA⁷ BRAINARD (*Orrin William⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m. (by Elder Holt, of Hillsdale, Mich.), April 28, 1869, David Henry Janes, b. Sept. 10, 1844, in Homer, Mich., son of Robert and Elmira (Jenkins) Janes of Homer, Calhoun Co., Mich. He is a farmer in Homer, Mich. Mrs. Adelvia Phylista (Brainard) Janes d. Mr. David Henry Janes d.

Janes children:

- i. FRANK VERNON, b. March 18, 1877, in Clarendon, Mich.; d. Jan. 17, 1878.
- ii. CLIFFORD LAVERN, b. Jan. 21, 1879, in Clarendon, Mich.

203. ALICE ELNORA⁷ BRAINARD (*Orrin William⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m. (by Elder Copp, pastor of the Baptist Church and Professor in the Hillsdale College), Feb. 10, 1875, Chas. John Humphrey of Eckford, Mich., b. Oct. 6, 1852, son of Mark and Hittie (Henshaw) Humphrey. He

is a farmer in Homer, Calhoun Co., Mich. Mr. Charles John Humphrey d. Mrs. Alice Elvora (Brainard) Humphrey d.

Humphrey children:

- i. HERBERT A., b. April 18, 1880, in Homer, Mich.
- ii. LULA DELL, b. Nov. 12, 1887, in Homer, Mich.

204. FRANK WILLIS⁷ BRAINARD (*Orrin William⁶, David⁵, Stephen⁴, Daniel³, Daniel²*) of Clarendon, Calhoun Co., Mich.; m. March 31, 1878, Lillie Belle Waterman, b. Feb. 3, 1859, in Homer, Mich., dau. of Bradley and Ann E. (Wilbur) Waterman of Homer, Mich. He is a mechanic employed in the Gale Mfg. Co. of Albion, Mich., where he resided (1891). Mr. Frank Willis Brainard d. Mrs. Lillie Belle (Waterman) Brainard d.

Children:

- i. ORRIN, b. March 4, 1881, in Clarendon, Mich.
- ii. LENA, b. Dec. 10, 1886, in Clarendon, Mich.; d. April 7, 1887.
- iii. FRED, b. July 6, 1888, in Clarendon, Mich.

205. AMAZIAH⁷ BRAINERD (*William⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m., July 10, 1883, Alice Lavon Culverhouse, b. July 9, 1858, in Rockville, Conn., dau. of Noah and Fannie Maria (Wicks) Culverhouse of the same place. Her parents were born in Trowbridge, Wiltshire, England, and with their parents came to this country when they were but a few years old. He was several winters a school teacher. He afterwards published directories of several towns in the vicinity of Hartford, Conn. He was many years treasurer of the Hartford Paper Co., located in Poquonock, Conn., with office in Hartford. He is now president and treasurer of the company, with his office in Poquonock. Mr. Amaziah Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. CLIFTON CULVERHOUSE, b. Jan. 12, 1885, in Hartford, Conn. He graduated from Trinity College, Hartford, in the class of 1906. He is a musician, an organist, and a tutor in Hartford.
- ii. ALICE LOUISE, b. June 21, 1888, in Hartford, Conn. She graduated from the Hartford Public High School in the class of 1906 and is tutoring.

206. JAMES NELSON⁷ BRAINERD (*William⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Jan. 3, 1872, Jane E. White, b. dau. of Charles and Diana (Kellogg) White, of Hebron, Conn. He was a farmer in Hebron. He was justice of the peace in 1878 and 1879. Mr. James Nelson Brainerd d. Dec. 15, 1880, aged 33 years, 2



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ms., 6 ds. She m. (2), July 10, 1883. Edward Bassett* of Hebron, where she resides.

No children.

207. LEVERETT⁷ BRAINERD (*William⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., April 16, 1871, Jennie Ellen Rogers, b. July 20, 1854, in Westchester, dau. of Sherman and Almira (Emmons) Rogers of Westchester, Conn. He was a farmer in that place. He was on the board of relief in 1885. Mr. Leverett Brainerd d.

Child:

- i. WILLIAM SHERMAN, b. June 30, 1884, in Westchester, Conn. He was (1905) in Boston, Mass.

208. LEORA⁷ BRAINERD (*Asa⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Aug. 30, 1870, William Porter Adams, b. Sept. 4, 1844, in Westchester, son of Dea. William and Jerusha (Strong) Adams of the same place. He was treasurer of the Colchester Creamery Company (1890). He was a teacher many years. He is a farmer and insurance agent living in Westchester. Mrs. Leora (Brainerd) Adams d.

Adams children:

- i. WILLIAM EDWARD, b. Sept. 12, 1875, in Westchester, Conn. He graduated from Wesleyan College, Middletown, Conn., in 1901. He is in business in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. (1907).
ii. SUSAN MARY, b. April 28, 1877, in Westchester, Conn. She graduated from Wesleyan College, Middletown, Conn., in 1901, and has taught in the High School, Unionville, Conn., was (1905) in Westport, Conn. She m. July 11, 1907, Frederick Henry Wetherby.

209. CORINNE⁷ BRAINERD (*Asa⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Aug. 3, 1887, Rev. Nathaniel Fellows, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Lynn, Mass., b. Nov. 19, 1828, in the town of Stonington, Conn., son of Robert and Hannah (Williams) Fellows. He graduated at Wesleyan College Middletown. He was a teacher, then principal of Wilbraham Academy, Wilbraham, Mass., and served for several years as presiding elder of one of the Methodist Episcopal conferences of Mass. She was many years previous to her marriage a successful teacher in Conn. and Mass. She was his second wife. Mrs. Corinne (Brainerd) Fellows d. Aug. , 1888, in Stockbridge, Mass. His first wife of Mary Antoinette Buell of Westchester, Conn. He m. (3) Addie Reynolds. Rev. Nathaniel Fellows, D.D.,

* The Kellogg genealogy calls him Edmond B. Bassett.

d. July 20, 1901, *ae.* 72 yrs., 8 mos., 1 d. One child by his first marriage; died young.

No children.

210. LYMAN⁷ BUSHNELL BRAINERD (*Asa*⁶, *William*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 28, 1903, Lucy Morgan Brainard, b. Jan. 22, 1872, in Hartford, Conn., dau. of Leverett and Mary Jerusha (Bulkeley) Brainard of Hartford, Conn. He first engaged with Anson F. Fowler, an insurance agent in Middletown, Conn., from March 27, 1876, to March 27, 1877, and till the following spring, 1878, he was with J. C. Clark & Co. of Cobalt, Conn. He then entered the employ of The State Mutual Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., remaining one year. In May, 1879, he entered the service of The Jersey City Fire Insurance Co. in Jersey City, N. J., remaining till Aug., 1886, when he engaged with The Equitable Mortgage Co. of New York City, continuing there till March, 1894, when he came to The Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., where he was treasurer of the company. July 13, 1904, he was elected president of The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, retaining the office of treasurer. He is a director of The Security Company, a trustee of The Society for Savings, trustee of Hartford Theological Seminary, and chairman of its executive committee. Lucy Morgan Brainard finished her education at Miss Porter's school in Farmington, Conn. He resides in Hartford, Conn. Mr. Lyman Bushnell Brainard d. Mrs. Lucy Morgan (Brainard) Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. MARY LEVERETT, b. Jan. 13, 1905, in Hartford, Conn.
- ii. LYMAN BUSHNELL, b. Oct. 15, 1906, in Hartford, Conn.

211. ASA⁷ BRAINARD (*Asa*⁶, *William*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., May 10, 1900, Jennie Iowa Bailey, b. Nov. 17, 1871, in Essex, Conn., dau. of Roswell Leander and Catherine Rebecca (Doane) Bailey of East Haddam, Conn. He has been a school teacher, but now is a farmer in Westchester. He has held town offices, and is a much-respected citizen. He has been grand juror. Mr. Asa Brainard d.

No children.

212. CHARLES⁷ BRAINARD (*Asa*⁶, *William*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Middletown, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Feb. 28, 1894, Lulu May Bidwell, b. May 4, 1864, in Middletown, Conn., dau. of Capt. Elisha Fairchilds and



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Anna Cecilia (Bailey) Bidwell. He is a shoe merchant in Middletown. Mr. Charles Brainard d.

Children:

- i. ROBERT BIDWELL, b. Feb. 7, 1896, in Middletown, Conn.
- ii. A son, b. June 18, 1897, in Middletown, Conn.
- iii. LYMAN BUELL, b. Nov. 22, 1899, in Middletown, Conn.
- iv. HARLEY EDGAR, b. March 10, 1903, in Middletown, Conn.

213. ROXY MEROA⁷ BRAINARD (*Samuel Newell⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., May 30, 1877, Lucius Alonzo Carrier, b. March 3, 1850, in Westchester, Conn., son of Frank and Polly (Jones) Carrier of the same place. He was a farmer and merchant at the Iron Works, Westchester. Mr. Lucius Alonzo Carrier d. Dec. 22, 1878, aged 28 yrs., 9 mos., 9 ds. She m. (2), Dec. 17, 1884, Manly Horatio Wickwire of Sheffield, Mass., b. Sept. 1, 1834, in Warren, Litchfield Co., Conn., son of Alvin Benjamin and Sally Miranda (Humiston) Wickwire. He was a dealer in all kinds of domestic lumber, building and ship timber, etc. He resided in Westchester, Conn.; afterward in Berlin, Conn. They were divorced. Mrs. Roxy Meroa (Brainard) (Carrier) Wickwire d.

Carrier child by the first marriage:

- i. LUCIUS ALONZO, b. March 11, 1878, in Westchester, Conn. He was a bookkeeper in the Royal Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., then bookkeeper in the New Britain Knitting Company of New Britain, Conn., and in 1905 was in the employ of the American Paper Goods Co., Kensington, Conn. He m., June 14, 1905, Lillian M. Jost of New Britain, Conn., dau. of Gustav and Christine (Berg) Jost. Her parents were German.

214. SAMUEL NEWELL⁷ BRAINERD (*Samuel Newell⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 20, 1879, Nellie Belle Carrier, b. Aug. 28, 1858, in Westchester, dau. of Frank and Polly (Jones) Carrier of the Iron Works, Westchester, Conn. He was a merchant, insurance agent, and farmer in N. Westchester, Conn. He was a member of the board of relief in Westchester in 1891. He was tax collector in Colchester three years and assessor and on the board of relief for the same length of time. He was principal of the Union school in East Hampton, Conn., in 1892 and 1893; was principal of the graded school in East Hartford for two years. He was in the real estate business in that place. In 1904 he had an office in Hartford. He is a member of Patriot Council, No. 45, O. U. A. M., of East Hampton, having formerly been a member of the Colchester Lodge, A. O. U. W. Mr. Samuel Newell Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. ALBERT SERENO, b. June 2, 1882, in Westchester, Conn.

- ii. FRANK SAMUEL, b. March 6, 1889, in Westchester, Conn.
- iii. SYDNEE CARRIER,* b. May 17, 1898, in East Hartford, Conn.
- iv. STANLEY NEWELL, b. Jan. 30, 1900, in East Hartford.

- 214 a. STEPHEN DAY⁷ BRAINARD (*Samuel Newell⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., Nov. 9, 1907, Alice Moore (Hefflon) Lycette, b. July 18, 1870, in East Haddam, Conn., dau. of Henry N. and Elizabeth (Cooper) Hefflon of the same place, and widow of Willis Elden Lycette of that place. He is a farmer in Westchester, Conn. He is six feet and three inches tall, the tallest one in the Brainard family I know of. Mr. Stephen Day Brainard d.

No children.

215. CHARLOTTE FIDELIA⁷ BRAINERD (*Samuel Newell⁶, William⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Westchester Soc., town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn.; m., June 15, 1892, Edward Everett Swan, b. Sept. 19, 1855, in Millington Soc., town of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn., son of Rufus Wheeler and Mary Anderson (Cone) Swan of the same place. He is a farmer in East Haddam. Mrs. Charlotte Fidelia (Brainerd) Swan d.

No children.

216. MARY A.⁷ BRAINERD (*William G.⁶, Elijah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 26, 1858 (by Rev. C. E. Hewes), Chas. S. Pierson, b. Oct. 28, 1830, son of Abele and Ruth (Spencer) Pierson. He lived in Poolville, N. Y. Mrs. Mary A. (Brainerd) Pierson d. Feb. 5, 1869, aged 33 yrs., 9 mos., 14 ds. Mr. Chas. S. Pierson d.

Pierson children:

- i. ERNESTINE M., b. May 31, 1861, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. Dec. 13, 1866.
- ii. FRANK M., b. April 25, 1865, in Poolville, N. Y.; d. Dec. 15, 1866.
- iii. HENRY H., b. Dec. 12, 1868, in Poolville, N. Y.

Lines on the death of Francis R. Lyman, Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. A., formerly of Sherburne, N. Y., who died, while in discharge of his duties, at Harwood Hospital, Washington, D. C., Nov. 1862.

Gone from thy childhood's home,
The hills and vales around thy place of birth
So loved for home has charm o'er all the earth,
The friends who mingled with thy happy youth,
But more than all, those hearts of changeless truth
Thy parents, oh! the thought is one of pain
That thou may'st never come to them again,
Beneath this earthly dome.

* The name given to the town clerk was Adna Carrier. The present name indicates a change of name by the parents, who gave the record.

Gone to thy quiet rest —
But not like thousands of our brothers brave,
Cut down by murderous blades to unknown graves,
Their bodies left to lie 'neath Southern skies,
No kind friend near to catch their parting sighs,
To smooth the locks a mother's hand hath stroked,
And soothe with tender words the heart nigh broke,
At thoughts of home so blest.

But while he sought to bind
The wounds just made by war's strong hand so red
And give the healing balm to those who bled,
Disease had marked him for its victim there
And paled the cheeks and brow so young and fair;
Thus ends the earth life, all his hopes are o'er
But Heaven has welcomed him to that bright shore,
And God is always kind.

Gone from thy cherished one
Whose tears are falling for the cruel doom,
That summoned him thus early to the tomb,
For he had chosen her to cheer his way,
Along the varied scenes of Life's young day.
Now God be with her — heal the breaking heart —
And point her to the home where friends ne'er part
When earthly life is done.

Ah yes, Frank's living still,
Living in hearts that knew his virtues well,
Living in memories that ever dwell
To bless us, though our dear ones leave our arms,
And earth seems dark and full of grief's alarms;
Faith points us to the World that never fails,
To mansions where no parting word assails
The heart with grief to fill.

Mary A. (Brainerd) Pierson.

Poolville, Nov. 28th, 1862.

217. SARAH E.⁷ BRAINERD (*William G.⁶, Elijah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. (by Rev. A. H. Marshall), Jan. 27, 1863, William R. Webster, b. Jan. 18, 1840, son of Madison H. and Harriet (Wilcox) Webster. He lived in Poolville, N. Y., a number of years, then moved to Allegan Co., Mich., where he kept a meat market. Mr. William R. Webster d. July 2, 1880, ae. 39 yrs., 5 mos., 14 ds. Mrs. Sarah E. (Brainerd) Webster d.

Webster children:

- i. MORDAUNT M., b. Dec. 17, 1868, in Poolville, N. Y. Clerk in a store.
- ii. MELVINA M., b. Sept. 10, 1869, in Poolville, N. Y. Clerk in a store.

218. FLOYD L.⁷ BRAINERD (*Elijah⁶, Elijah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 8, 1868, Clara Sawdy, b. July 20, 1834, dau. of Frederick and Ruth (Waite) Sawdy. He lived in Utica N. Y. (1891). Mr. Floyd L. Brainerd d.

No children.

219. EVERETT⁷ BRAINERD (*Elijah⁶, Elijah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 1, 1863, Emily Wells, b. March 25, 1843, dau. of Hiram and Lucy Ann (Beach) Wells. He was a farmer in Poolville, N. Y. Mr. Everett Brainerd d. Nov. 22, 1880, ae. 39 yrs., 7 ds. She m. (?), Dec. 14, 1886, Omri Willey, son of Jeremiah and Hannah (Staples) Willey. Mrs. Emily (Wells) (Brainerd) Willey d.

No children.

220. CHARLOISE WILLIAM⁷ BRAINERD (*Elijah⁶, Elijah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 25, 1874, Letitia Cushman, b. Sept. 20, 1841, dau. of Benjamin and Emily (Emory) Cushman. He was a merchant and farmer in Poolville, N. Y., afterward a merchant in Earlville, N. Y., where he had lived many years. He had a strong manly nature that was never marred by lack of integrity or just dealings with all men, and his death means a loss to the business interests of the place. Mrs. Letitia (Cushman) Brainerd d. Dec. 11, 1896, ae. 55 yrs., 2 mos., 20 ds. Mr. Charloise William Brainerd d. Mch. 20, 1906, in Earlville.

No children.

221. MARCIA L.⁷ BRAINERD (*Oliver Day⁶, Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 21, 1863, Anson C. Brooks, b. Sept. 12, 1842, son of Nelson and Emma (Ransom) Brooks. He is a farmer in Poolville, N. Y. In his earlier years he was a successful teacher. Mrs. Marcia L. (Brainerd) Brooks d.

Brooks children:

- i. ANSON NEWTON, b. May 12, 1866, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. April 5, 1872.
- ii. EMMA ELIZA, b. April 3, 1868, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; d. Nov. 23, 1882, while a student in Sherburne, N. Y.
- iii. ANNA LOUISA, b. Oct. 1, 1873, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Dec. 19, 1895, Frank O. Bronson, b. July 4, 1873, son of Judson and Flora (Williams) Bronson of Poolville, N. Y. He is a farmer.
- iv. CLARENCE BRAINERD, b. June 22, 1875, in East Hamilton, N. Y.; m. Feb. 18, 1901, Agnes Frances McCabe, dau. of John and Catharyn McCabe.

222. EZRA SEYMOUR⁷ BRAINARD (*Diodate⁶, Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hubbardsville, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Oct. 25, 1871, in Sangerfield, N. Y., Emma Jane Berry, b. May 4, 1853, or '54, dau. of Alphonzo Eaton and Maria (Clark) Berry of New Berlin, N. Y. He was a farmer and lived at Stockwell, Oneida Co., N. Y. Mr. Ezra Seymour Brainard d. Feb. 24, 1883, or Dec. 10, 1884, ae. 33 yrs. Mrs. Emma Jane (Berry) Brainard d.

Child:

245. i. CLARK M., b. Oct. 28, 1872, in Stockwell, N. Y.



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223. OLIVER DAY⁷ BRAINERD (*Diodate⁶, Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hubbardsville, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. Feb., 1881, Ettie Lewis, b. July 20, 1857, dau. of W. E. and Susan (Brown) Lewis of Sherburne, N. Y. He is a farmer in Hubbardsville, N. Y. Mr. Oliver Day Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. LEWIS EZRA, b. Sept. 13, 1885, in Hubbardsville, N. Y.
- ii. OLIVE C., b. Feb. 27, 1889, in Hubbardsville, N. Y.

224. OLIVE ANN⁷ BRAINERD (*Diodate⁶, Ezra⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hubbardsville, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. June 1, 1876, De Alton Clark, b. Dec. 10, 1853, son of Franklin and Louisa (Crandall) Clark. Mrs. Olive Ann (Brainerd) Clark d.

Clark children:

- i. CLARA, b. Oct. 8, 1879; d. Sept. 25, 1890.
- ii. AMY, b. Sept. 11, 1886.

225. MARY LYDIA⁷ BRAINARD (*Leverett⁶, Amaziah⁵, William⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m., June 5, 1894, Charles Cheney, b. June 7, 1866, in Hartford, Conn., son of Frank Woodbridge and Mary (Bushnell) Cheney of Manchester, Conn., and grandson of the late Rev. Dr. Bushnell of Hartford, Conn. He is a silk manufacturer, living at South Manchester, Conn. Mrs. Mary Lydia (Brainard) Cheney d. Jan. 11, 1900, ae. 32 yrs., 1 mo., 27 ds. Her gentle life has passed away ere the shadows of the sunset of life had been permitted to gather around her, and has overwhelmed those nearest and dearest to her with inexpressible sorrow and grief. Amiable and lovable in disposition, courteous to all, enthusiastic and earnest in fulfilling her duties and obligations, a favorite among her young friends, she was called in early womanhood to yield up her life and exchange the attractions of her earthly home for the blessedness of her heavenly home.

The following article by Rev. Dr. E. P. Parker of this city appeared in *The Hartford Courant*:

To the Editor of The Courant:

You ask me for a few words concerning the departure of Mrs. Mary (Brainard) Cheney; I cannot say what should be said, or what I would say, but it would be ungracious, perhaps, to deny your request.

"How is the strong staff broken," we said among ourselves but a few days since; and now we must add, "and the beautiful rod!"

Of Ward Cheney* and of Mrs. Charles Cheney we may say in the language of the ancient lamentation, "They were lovely and pleasant in their lives, and in their death they were not divided."

* Ward Cheney was her brother-in-law, a brother of Charles Cheney. He died in the Philippines about the same time that Mrs. M. L. Cheney died, he having gone out there as a soldier in the United States Army.

He was gentle, faithful, good, and wore the flower of chivalrous manhood.

She was "gentle, faithful, good, and wore the rose of womanhood," They have both been taken hence in the flower of life, and upon their past "hath fallen a light which tempts us to adore."

I am quoting freely, and I must quote further, using choicer words than I can coin to express these values.

If your readers would have before them a good description of Ward Cheney, let them find out and read Wordsworth's noble poem entitled "Character of the Happy Warrior," beginning:

"Who is the happy warrior? Who is he?

That every man in arms would wish to be?"

It is too long to be quoted here, but in it, as in a mirror, are reflected the characteristics of that dear soul.

In the twelfth book of Wordsworth's "Prelude" are lines which I may quote, which seem to me to well describe the beautiful and lovely woman who has so closely followed her brother-in-law into the silent land:

"Her eye was not the mistress of her heart,
Far less did rules prescribed by passive taste,
Of barren intermeddling subtleties,
Perplex her mind; but, wise as women are
When genial circumstance hath favored them,
She welcomed what was given, and craved no more,
Whate'er the scene presented to her view,
That was the best, to that she was attuned
By her benign simplicity of life,
Birds in the bower, and lambs in the green field,
Could they have known her, would have loved: . . .
Her very presence such a sweetness breathed,
That flowers, and trees, and even the silent hills,
And everything she looked on, should have had
An intimation how she bore herself
Towards them and to all creatures. God delights
In such a being; for her common thoughts
Are piety, her life is gratitude."

These few words—so much better than any I could frame—I offer, in love of her who has gone to make the distant Heaven nearer and more homelike to us here, and in gratitude to God who feeds our hearts for his own service, and shows us, in our sorrows, some "sublime attractions of the grave."

One single thought more I venture to express. In the deep shadow that has fallen around us, and in the great mystery of the dispensation in which we grope, it becomes us, if only loyal to the memory of these two dear souls, to consider their departure from us in the light of that Christian faith and hope in which they both lived and died, and which crowned the loveliness of their lives.

EDWIN P. PARKER.

He m. (2), Dec. 23, 1902, in San Francisco, Cal., Mary Eleanor de Freyne Bell, dau. of John Stewart Bell, of Los Alamos, Cal. Mr. Charles Cheney d.

Cheney children:

- i. A son, b. June 2, 1895, in South Manchester, Conn.; d. ae. a few hours.
- ii. MARION, b. Sept. 18, 1897, in South Manchester, Conn.
- iii. WARD, b. Nov. 3, 1899, in South Manchester, Conn.

226. LUCY MORGAN⁷ BRAINARD (*Leverett*⁶, *Amaziah*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 28, 1903, Lyman Bushnell Brainerd, b.



MORGAN BULKELEY BRAINARD

March 21, 1856, in Westchester parish, town of Colchester, New London Co., Conn., son of Asa and Susan Elizabeth (Buell) Brainerd of the same place. He first engaged with Anson F. Fowler, an insurance agent in Middletown, Conn., from March 27, 1876, to March 27, 1877, and till the following spring, 1878, he was with J. C. Clark & Co., of Cobalt, Conn. He then entered the employ of the State Mutual Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., remaining one year. In May, 1879, he entered the service of The Jersey City Fire Insurance Co. in Jersey City, N. J., remaining till Aug., 1886, when he engaged with The Equitable Mortgage Co. of New York city, continuing there till March 2, 1894, when he came to The Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., where he was treasurer of the company. July 13, 1904, he was elected president of The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co., retaining the office of treasurer. He is a director of The Security Co., a trustee of the Society for Savings, a trustee of Hartford Theological Seminary, and chairman of its executive committee. Lucy Morgan Brainard finished her education at Miss Porter's school in Farmington, Conn. Mrs. Lucy Morgan (Brainard) Brainerd d. Mr. Lyman Bushnell Brainerd d.

Brainerd children:

- i. MARY LEVERETT, b. Jan. 13, 1905, in Hartford, Conn.
- ii. LYMAN BUSHNELL, b. Oct. 15, 1906, in Hartford, Conn.

227. MORGAN BULKELEY⁷ BRAINARD (*Leverett*⁶, *Amaziah*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m., April 27, 1905, Eleanor Stewart Moffat, b. Oct. 1, 1883, in Scranton, Pa., dau. of Edward Stewart and Anna Robson (McCartney) Moffat of Scranton, Pa. Her ancestors on both sides of the house were of Scotch descent. He graduated at the Hartford Public High School in 1896, at Yale College in the class of 1900, and at the Yale Law School in 1903. He then entered the law office of Sperry & McLean of Hartford, Conn., where he remained two years. He was (1905) treasurer of the Aetna Life Insurance Company. He resides in Hartford. Mr. Morgan Bulkeley Brainard d.

Children:

- i. MORGAN BULKELEY, b. Feb. 17, 1906, in Hartford, Conn.
- ii. CHARLES EDWIN, b. July 17, 1907, in Hartford, Conn.

- 227 a. EDITH HOLLISTER⁷ BRAINARD (*Leverett*⁶, *Amaziah*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Hartford, Hartford Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 30, 1907, John Henry Kelso Davis, b. Sept. 17, 1875, in West Point, N. Y., son of John Moore Kelso and Fanny (Sawyer) Davis, of New London, N. H. He is treasurer of the Taylor & Fenn Co., of Hartford. He resides in Hartford. Mrs. Edith Hollister (Brainard) Davis d.

No children.

228. WILLIAM ORRIN⁷ BRAINERD (*William⁶, Bezaleel⁵, Bezaleel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., Oct. 9, 1851, Laura Almira Huntington, b. Aug. 14, 1826, in Middlefield, N. Y., dau. of Dea. Samuel and Genette (Gates) Huntington of the same place. He was a farmer in East Haddam. He was elected deacon of the Congregational Church in 1871, an office he held during life. He was a kind neighbor and a respected citizen. Mr. William Orrin Brainerd d. Jan. 19, 1896, ae. 66 yrs., 8 mos., 24 ds. Mrs. Laura Almira (Huntington) Brainerd d. Nov. 1, 1907, in East Haddam, ae. 81 yrs., 2 mos., 17 ds.

Child:

246. i. MARY ALMIRA, b. Jan. 17, 1853, in East Haddam, Conn.
229. FRANCES C.⁷ BRAINERD (*Ira⁶, Daniel Adams⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., June 7, 1865, Henry Clay Ackley, b. Nov. 9, 1842, son of Joseph Knelan and Caroline (Wells) Ackley of East Hamilton, N. Y. He lived in Waterville, N. Y., and was a hop dealer. He lived (1905) in East Hamilton, N. Y., and is an extensive farmer, hop grower, and hop dealer. Mrs. Frances C. (Brainerd) Ackley d.

Ackley child:

- i. CARRIE A., b. Dec. 15, 1867, in Waterville, N. Y.; d. Dec. 17, 1870.

230. DANIEL A.⁷ BRAINERD (*Ira⁶, Daniel Adams⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. May 17, 1865, Martha E. Grumman, b. July 11, 1848, in Clinton, N. Y., dau. of Edwin and Jerusha (Granis) Grumman of the same place. He moved to Fremont, Neb., and was a farmer. Mr. Daniel A. Brainerd d. Oct. 1, 1874, in Fremont, Neb. She m. (2), C. E. Greene, and lives in Utica, N. Y. Mrs. Martha E. (Grumman) (Brainerd) Greene d.

Children:

- i. ELLA L., b. Sept. 29, 1867, in Fremont, Neb.; d. Aug. 12, 1869.
ii. LOUIS D., b. April 12, 1870, in Fremont, Neb.

231. IRA DEWANE⁷ BRAINERD (*Ira⁶, Daniel Adams⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 10, 1840, Mary Genevieve Greene, b. Aug. 21, 1847, in Hubbardsville, N. Y., dau. of Charles and Jane (Hubbard) Greene of the same place. He was educated at Clinton Liberal Institute, Clinton, N. Y. He is a farmer and hop raiser, and an extensive dealer in hops, living in Waterville, N. Y. Mr. Ira Dewane Brainerd d.

Children:

247. i. CHARLES GREENE, b. July 31, 1874, in Waterville, N. Y.
ii. GEORGE DEWANE, b. Oct. 5, 1878, in Waterville, N. Y.; d. June 11, 1888.
iii. DANIEL ADAMS, b. April 13, 1884, in Waterville, N. Y.; d. Feb. 28, 1895.



IRA DEWANE BRAINERD.



GEORGE DEWANE BRAINERD.



DANIEL ADAMS BRAINERD.

232. EMMA IRENE⁷ BRAINERD (*Ira⁶, Daniel Adams⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of East Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 24, 1870, A. Eugene Hotchkiss, b. May 4, 1846, son of Jary and Fannie (Roberts) Hotchkiss. He is a photographer in Norwich, N. Y. Mrs. Emma Irene (Brainerd) Hotchkiss of Norwich, N. Y., d. Sept. 12, 1898. Mr. A. Eugene Hotchkiss d.

Hotchkiss child:

- i. STELLA A., b. April 19, 1874, in Waterville, N. Y.

233. CHARLES NELSON⁷ BRAINERD (*Nelson⁶, Samuel Dimmick⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Addison, Addison Co., Vt.; m., May 1, 1871, in San Juan, Cal., Martha Elizabeth Misley, b. Feb. 15, 1852, in Wisconsin, dau. of Christian and Frances Ellen (Locey) Misley. He lived (1890) in Alleghany, Sierra Co., Cal. He is a gold miner. Mr. Charles Nelson Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. CHARLES GRAYSON, b. May 25, 1872, in Alleghany, Cal.
ii. GEORGE HERBERT, b. Aug. 17, 1876, in Alleghany, Cal.

234. JANE C.⁷ BRAINERD (*Nelson⁶, Samuel Dimmick⁵, Daniel⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Addison, Addison Co., Vt.; m., Aug., 1857, Marquis Lafayette Goode, b. Feb. 23, 1837, son of John and Lucy (Maston) Goode, near Cotoose Springs, Ga. They went to his father's home in North Carolina in 1858. He en. in 1861 and was wounded in the Civil War and d. at Chester Hospital, Pa. She m. (2), Samuel Young, b. Nov. 2, 1823, son of James and Elizabeth (Gill) Young of Cleveland Co., N. C. He lives in Mooresboro, N. C. She lived with her aunt, Mrs. Granger, in Vermont. She was educated at Castleton Seminary in Castleton, Vt., graduating in 1856, then went to Georgia as a governess. Mr. Samuel Young d. Mrs. Jane C. (Brainerd) (Goode) Young d.

Goode children by the first marriage:

- i. CHARLES GRANGER, b. Sept. 4, 1858, in McMinn Co., Tenn.; m. Jan. 14, 1877, Jane Beason, b. April 20, 1853, dau. of Robert and Sally (Rupp) Beason. Ch.: 1. Gertie, b. Nov. 30, 1877. 2. Martha, b. Dec. 21, 1879. 3. Daisy, b. Sept. 27, 1881. 4. Brainerd, b. Dec. 5, 1883. 5. Cora Lee, b. Oct. 13, 1885. 6. Clarence, b. Oct. 5, 1887.
ii. CLARENCE LAFAYETTE, b. April 13, 1863, in Rutherford Co., N. C.

Young children by the second marriage:

- iii. BLANCH E., b. May 25, 1871, in Mooresboro, N. C.
iv. MOLLY CUTLY, b. April 13, 1878, in Mooresboro, N. C.

235. GEORGE⁷ BRAINERD (*George⁶, Enoch S.⁵, Enoch⁴, Bezaleel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; m., Olive Taintor of Collamee, Ohio, b. Mr. George Brainerd d. in the army. Mrs. Olive (Taintor) Brainerd d. soon after. No children.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

236. ALFRED FRANKLIN⁵ BRAINARD (*William Augustus⁷, Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Omaha, Dakota Co., Neb.; m., Jan. 23, 1872, Jane Hess, b. May 1, 1853, near Congress, Ohio, dau. of Reed and Eliza Anne (Caltrider) Hess. He is a railroad contractor living at Omaha, Neb. Mr. Alfred Franklin Brainard d.

Children:

248. i. EFFIE MAY or MAE, b. Oct. 1, 1872, near Casey, Iowa.
 ii. ESTELIA, b. Sept. 4, 1874, near Casey, Iowa.
 iii. LIDA or ELIZA JANE, b. Jan. 9, 1877, near Casey, Iowa. She is a teacher.
 iv. WILLIAM FRANKLIN, b. April 11, 1880, near Casey, Iowa.
 v. A son, b. July 13, 1887; d. the same day.

237. WILLIAM DE LOSS⁵ BRAINERD (*William Augustus⁷, Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Adair, Adair Co., Iowa; m., .
 He is a farmer. Mr. William De Loss Brainerd d.

Children:

249. i. CHARLES, b. Sept. 28, 1874, in Adair, Iowa.
 250. ii. ALICE MAY, b. Sept. 25, 1877, in Adair, Iowa.

238. FRANK LEE⁵ BRAINERD (*Lyman⁷, Ephraim⁶, Levi⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Ononta, Otsego Co., N. Y.; m., April 2, 1890, Eva I. Newell, b. Jan. 24, 1870, in Owego, N. Y., dau. of Orwin L. and Mary P. (Cooley) Newell. He was a farmer in Hamilton, Madison Co., N. Y. In 1900, he resided in Poolville, Madison Co., N. Y. Mr. Frank Lee Brainerd d.

Child:

- i. MARY LURENA, b. Sept. 15, 1894, in Hamilton, N. Y.

239. CORA EMELINE⁵ BRAINERD (*James Martin⁷, Elisha⁶, Elisha⁵, Stephen⁴, Stephen³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Nov. 28, 1889, Loren Stiles Duggan, b. Sept. 19, 1868, in No. Parma, N. Y., son of John and Katherine (Cassidy) Duggan. He is a merchant, residing in Gainesville, N. Y. Mrs. Cora Emeline (Brainerd) Duggan d.

Duggan children:

- i. CLARA DELORA, b. Feb. 5, 1891, in Gainesville, N. Y.
 ii. RUTH LOUISE, b. Sept. 25, 1892, in Gainesville, N. Y.

240. FRED GIBSON⁸ BRAINERD (*James Martin*⁷, *Elisha*⁶, *Elisha*⁵, *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 16, 1900, Mary Ash, in San Francisco, Cal., b. . Mr. Fred Gibson Brainerd d.

Children:

- i. FRED GIBSON, b. Jan., 1901, in San Francisco. Cal.
- ii. JOHN MARTIN, b. Feb. 8, 1904, in San Francisco. Cal.

241. BERTIE MORRIS⁸ BRAINERD (*Wilbur Elisha*⁷, *Elisha*⁶, *Elisha*⁵, *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., March 29, 1888, Emma Shader, b. , dau. of Gilbert and Sarah (Secor) Shader. He lives in Des Arc, Mo., and is a clerk in a store. Mr. Bertie Morris Brainerd d.

Child:

- i. BERTHA H., b. Jan. 12, 1890, in Gainesville, N. Y.; d. Sept. 15, 1890.

242. FRED⁸ BRAINARD (*James Franklin*⁷, *Stephen*⁶, *Elisha*⁵, *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Feb. 18, 1891, Miss Crane, b. in Cass, Jones Co., Iowa, , dau. of Carso and Electa (Glidden) Crane. He is a farmer in Cass, Ia. Mr. Fred Brainard d.

Child:

- i. ASA C., b. Jan. 1, 1892, in Cass, Iowa.

243. CARRIE A.⁸ BRAINARD (*Mahlon W.*⁷, *Ezra Styles Ely*⁶, *Elisha*⁵, *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Coldwater, Branch Co., Mich.; m., Feb. 12, 1883, George A. Nettleman, b. Nov. 22, 1860, in Coldwater, son of John B. and Georgie (Rubley) Nettleman. John B. Nettleman was b. May 19, 1819, in Prussia, and his wife was b. Oct. 15, 1828, in Switzerland. He is cashier in the U. S. Express office in Toledo, Ohio. Mrs. Carrie A. (Brainard) Nettleman d. March 26, 1900, in her 37th year. Mr. George A. Nettleman d.

No children.

244. ESTELLE MARIA⁸ BRAINERD (*James Elisha*⁷, *Philander*⁶, *Elisha*⁵, *Stephen*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Gainesville, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m., Sept. 4, 1889, Joseph Leonard Beaumont, b. Sept. 24, 1860, son of William and Martha (Cockill) Beaumont. Res. Gainesville, N. Y. He is a farmer. Mrs. Estelle Maria (Brainerd) Beaumont d.

Beaumont children:

245. CLARK M.^s BRAINERD (*Ezra Seymour*⁷, *Diodate*⁶, *Ezra*⁵, *William*⁴, *Stephen*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Stockwell, Oneida Co., N. Y.; m., Dec. 23, 1896, Albertina Wilson, b. Feb. 14, 1873, in Jersey City, N. J., dau. of Albert and Anna (Ariceson) Wilson. He is a farmer residing in Stockwell, N. Y. She was the adopted dau. of Le Grande and Louise (Eaton) Colburn. Mr. Clark M. Brainerd d.

Child:

- i. EMMA LOUISE, b. June 4, 1898, in Stockwell, N. Y.

246. MARY ALMIRA^s BRAINERD (*William Orrin*⁷, *William*⁶, *Bezaleel*⁵, *Bezaleel*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of East Haddam, Middlesex Co., Conn.; m., April 1, 1883, Samuel B. Bowne, b. He lived in Brooklyn, N. Y., and was in the N. Y. post-office, having been employed there upwards of 15 years. Mrs. Mary Almira (Brainerd) Bowne d. March 26, 1884, in Brooklyn, N. Y., and was buried in the cemetery, near the Congregational church in East Haddam, Conn. Mr. Samuel B. Bowne d.

Bowne child:

- i. CHESTER BRAINERD, b. March 21, 1884, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; d. Jan. 6, 1903, in East Haddam, Conn., at the home of his grandfather, where he had always lived.

247. CHARLES GREENE^s BRAINARD (*Ira Dewane*⁷, *Ira*⁶, *Daniel Adams*⁵, *Daniel*⁴, *Bezaleel*³, *Daniel*², *Daniel*¹) of Waterville, Oneida Co., N. Y.; m., Jan. 20, 1897, Florence Elizabeth Doolittle, b., dau. of Frederick C. and Emma (Hill) Doolittle of Livingston Hill, Waterville. He prepared for college at the Waterville High School, and entered the classical department of Amherst College in the fall of 1892, from which he graduated in June, 1896. He is assistant in his father's office in Waterville, N. Y. Mr. Charles Greene Brainard d.

Children:

- i. CHARLOTTE DOOLITTLE, b. April 14, 1900, in Waterville, N. Y.
 ii. CHARLES GREEN, JR., b. Nov. 8, 1902, in Waterville, N. Y.
 iii. ELIZABETH ALDEN, b. Feb. 12, 1906, in Waterville, N. Y.



CHARLES GREENE BRAINERD.



1. FLORENCE ELIZABETH (DOOLITTLE) BRAINARD.
2. CHARLOTTE DOOLITTLE BRAINARD. 3. CHARLES GREEN BRAINARD.

NINTH GENERATION.

248. EFFIE MAY⁹ BRAINARD (*Alfred Franklin⁸, William Augustus⁷, Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Omaha, Dakota Co., Neb.; m., Nov. 29, 1897, George K. Todd, b. _____, 1870, son of _____. He is a telegraph operator in Bolivar, Mo. Mrs. Effie May (Brainard) Todd d.

Todd children:

- i. HELEN IRENE, b. Sept. 26, 1898, in Buffalo Gap, South Dakota.
- ii. LEE, b. Oct. 22, 1900, in Omaha, Neb.
- iii. FRANK, b. Nov. 28, 1902, in Omaha, Neb.

249. CHARLES⁹ BRAINARD (*William De Loss⁸, William Augustus⁷, Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of Omaha, Douglass Co., Neb.; m., June 20, 1900, Irene Martin, b. _____. He resides in Adair, Iowa. Mr. Charles Brainard d.

Children:

- i. A child, b. _____.
- ii. A child, b. _____.

250. ALICE MAY⁹ BRAINARD (*William De Loss⁸, William Augustus⁷, Jeremiah Gates⁶, Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Daniel², Daniel¹*) of _____; m., June 20, 1900, Otto D. Carey, b. _____. He is a real estate man in Bridgewater, Iowa. Mrs. Alice May (Brainard) Carey d.

Carey child:

- i. KENNETH, b. 1903.

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- iii. DOROTHY ROXANNA (STAPLES) SKINNER, d. Jan. 31, 1908, ae. 81 yrs., 9 mos., 16 ds.

MILITARY RECORDS.

An appended list of soldiers' names, in Daniel's line, gathered from reliable sources, mostly from printed state records, who served in the Colonial Wars, the French and Indian War, the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, the Civil War, the Spanish-American War, and the Philippine War, is here given. I have endeavored to give such information in regard to the enlistments in the wars of our country as were accessible to me to enable those who are far from such records to join the various patriotic organizations to which they are eligible.

FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR.

Connecticut in the French and Indian War.

From the French and Indian War Rolls in the Connecticut Historical Society in Hartford, Conn., Campaigns of 1756, the following names were found:

Capt. Cone's Company:

Colony of Connecticut to Capt. Daniel Cone and the Company under his Command in Col. Jonathan Trumbull's Regiment for their Service at the time of Alarm for Relief of Fort William Henry and Places Adjacent. Campaign of 1757.

Jared Braynard, en. Aug. 9, to Aug. 24, 1757, for 15 days.

Capt. Gates Return:

At a muster of the north military Company in East Haddam August ye 9th. 1757 the account of the Soldiers Detached for his Majesty's service is as follows, viz.

Jared Brainard.

REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

Connecticut in the Revolutionary War.

From the list of men who marched from the Connecticut towns for the relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm, April, 1775.

Gideon Brainard, East Haddam, in service 18 days.

Minute men and volunteers, 1776.

Roll of Capt. Elisha Holmes' Company of minute men (East Haddam), raised in May 1776, by order of the Capt.-General.

Serjt. Enoch Brainard, East Haddam.

Daniel Brainard, Jr.

Bazael Brainard, 2d.

Col. Chapman's Regiment:

In Aug., 1778, a body of militia under Brig.-Gen. John Tyler served under Gen. Sullivan, and engaged in the attempt to dislodge the British at Newport. It was present at the battle of Rhode Island, Aug. 29, 1778. Capt. Holmes' Company.

Amaziah Brainard, pri.; en. Aug. 3, died Aug. 29; killed.

Fourth Battalion, Wadsworth Brigade, Col. Selden, 1778:

Battalion raised in June, 1776, to reinforce Washington in New York. Served in New York and on Long Island. Caught in the retreat and panic of Sept. 15, when the city was abandoned, and suffered some loss. Present with the army until Dec. 25, 1776, when term of regiment expired. Rolls incomplete. First Company.

Bezaleel Brainard, 1st Lieut., East Haddam.

Bezaleel Brainard, pri.

Colonel Wells' Regiment:

Two state regiments, composed of detachments of militia were raised in the spring of 1780, for service along the western coast. Col. Welles commanded one and Col. Beebe the other. On Dec. 9th, Col. Wells at Horseneck was attacked by the enemy and taken prisoner, together with one capt., two lieuts., two ens., and twenty or more privates. Rolls not on file.

Ens. William Brainard.

Fourth Regiment "Connecticut Line":

Formation of 1781-1783. Fourth Regiment in the second formation of the "Line," serving from Jan. 1, 1781, to Jan. 1, 1783, composed of the enlisted men of the Sixth Regiment of the previous formation. Its record for the two years appears in the text preceding, under heading D. Regiment consolidated in December, 1782, for third formation, Jan. to June, 1783. The following rolls of non-commissioned officers and privates represent the state of the command on Jan. 1, 1782, as pay acct's. Comptroller's office, Hartford, Conn. The record of commissioned officers is brought down to Jan. 1, 1783.

Jeremiah G. Brainard, East Haddam, Ensign, Appt. from civil life, July 26, 1780. Ensign in Seventh Regiment, first formation of the "Line." Cont. in the Fourth Regiment, 1781-83. Resigned March-April, 1781. He is said to have been employed in the War Office in Philadelphia.

In a list of Revolutionary names furnished me by the late Henry Martyn Selden of Haddam Neck, Conn., of that place and vicinity the following name is found.

Bezaliel Brainerd, East Haddam.

New Haven Alarm.

Record of military service 1779. Tryon's invasion of Connecticut, July, 1779. (From the list of militia captains whose companies turned out to repel the enemy at New Haven, July 5, '79. The original on file in the State Library.

Daniel Brainerd, pri.

In Willet's Company:

Capt. Daniel Brainerd.

On board a prison ship in New York harbor:

Daniel Brainerd.

Privateersman in the Revolutionary War:

Daniel, at one time commanded a Privateer.

Bounty Land Warrants:

Brainerd, Samuel D., Ver.

Brainerd, Wells, N. Y.

Pensioner in the Revolutionary War:

Lydia Brainard, of East Haddam, Conn. Pension commenced June 1, 1840. She was ac. 82 yrs. She was widow of Bezaliel Brainard.

WAR OF 1812.

Connecticut in the War of 1812.

NAME.	TITLE.	PLACE OF SERVICE.	COMMANDER.	PERIOD OF SERVICE.
Brainerd, Dyer T.	Surgeon.	N. London.	Lt.-Col. Wm. Moore,	June 1, 1813, to June 15, 1813.
Brainerd, Dyer T.	Surgeon.	Not shown.	Col. Joshua Buckley,	June 17, 1813, to June 25, 1813.
Brainerd, Dyer T.	Surgeon.	Not shown.	Col. Joshua Buckley,	June 26, 1813, to June 28, 1813.
Brainerd, Dyer T.	Surgeon.	Not shown.	Col. Wm. Moore,	Aug. 9, 1814, to Aug. 26, 1814.
Brainerd, Dyer T.	Surgeon.	N. London.	Col. Zep't Williams,	June 29, 1813, to July 12, 1813.
Brainerd, Dyer T.	Surgeon.	Not shown.	Col. Wm. Moore,	Aug. 6, 1814, to Aug. 26, 1814.

August 16th, 1900.

Madam: — Electa, widow of Samuel D. Brainard, made an application for bounty land on June 13th, 1857, at which time she was 64 years of age, and her claim was allowed for the service of her husband as a soldier in Capt. Wright's Company, Vermont Militia, War of 1812. He participated in the battle of Plattsburg. He died at Luther Palms, Ill., on May 7th, 1849. Electa Hoisington and Samuel D. Brainard were married at New Huron, Addison Co., Vermont, February 3d, 1829.

Very respectfully.

H. CLAY EVANS,

Commissioner.

CIVIL WAR.

Iowa in the Civil War.

Lewis C. Brainerd, 15th Regt., Non Com. Staff, Co. A; d. June 2, 1862, at Monterey, Tenn., of typhoid fever.

Vermont in the Civil War.

Samuel B. Brainerd, Castleton, Co. B. 2d Regt., en. Oct. 2, '61; mus. in. Oct. 18, '61; dis. Sept. 6, '62; Retd. June 10, '63; mus. out, Oct. 18, '64.

Ohio in the Civil War.

Enoch Brainard, pri., ae. 21. Co. C, 103d Regt., O. Vol. Inf.; en. Aug. 19, '62———3 yrs.———; dis. Jan. 8, '63, at Lexington, Ky., on surgeon's certificate of disability.

George Brainard, pri., Co. H, 174th Regt., O. Vol. Inf.; d. Dec. 21, '64; bur. at Murfreesboro, Tenn.; interred in sec. E., grave 204, Stone River Cemetery.

Pensioner in the Civil War:

Frank E. Brainard, Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio.

INVENTORS.

One person in Daniel's line has been granted patents for his inventions which were issued at the following dates, viz:

Leverett Brainard, Hartford, Conn.; Tuck for pocketbooks; assignor to The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.; June 14, 1881. No. 242810.

Leverett Brainard, Hartford, Conn.: Book binding; Aug. 27, 1889. No. 409824.

Leverett Brainard, Hartford, Conn.: Calendar; May 3, 1891. No. 411800.

This list of soldiers' names and the names which follow was compiled from the preceding pages of the Brainerd-Brainard Genealogy, and is approximately correct.

REVOLUTIONARY NAMES.

Brainerd, Amaziah, Nos. 18-ii; 24-ii.

" Daniel, Nos. 27; 72.

" Dyer, No. 25-v.

" Gideon, No. 10-ii.

" Jeremiah Gates, No. 29.

" Stephen, No. 20.

" William, No. 23.

Beckwith, Watrous, No. 61.

Brown, Samuel, No. 17-ii.

Cleveland, Brainerd, No. 14-ii.

Gates, Henry, No. 13-v.

Lewis C. Brainerd's name was taken from printed state reports. His name when first sent me was given as Lewis Cass, afterward as Lewis Scott Brainerd.

HOME MILITIA.

Brainerd, Bezaleel, Nos. 24-60.
 " Darius, No. 62.
 " Enoch, No. 26.
 Champion, Henry, No. 21.
 Cleveland, Aaron, No. 14.
 Gates, Bezaleel, No. 13.
 Olmstead, William, No. 9.
 Staples, Joseph, No. 56.
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